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UNITED NATIONS, New

York - Mikhail S. Gorbachev pro-

posed Wednesday a complete cease-fire in Afghanistan as of Jan.

1, 1989, backed by UN peacekeep-

ing forces and the cessation of arms supplies to all belligerents.

In his address to the General

Assembly, Mr. Gorbachev also requested that the UN secretary-gen-

eral. Javier Pèrez de Cuéllar, press

Communist government, and Mos-cow's troops have failed to put

Speaking of the agreement that spells out a formula to end the

vided in the General Assembly res-

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support the proposal to create un-

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tions a voluntary international

peace corps to assist in the revival of Alghanistan."

The withdrawal of all Soviet

the mujahidin mounted bolder and

more deadly attacks on them and

future of current efforts to reform

Many trade officials here, how-

ever, warned that such an outcome

would be a serious setback, as it

could block progress in other nego-

tiating areas. Some saw the elev-

eath-hour U.S gesture as being de-

signed primarily to shift blame

from Washington should the talks

Mr. Holmer said Clayton K. Yentter, the U.S. trade representa-

tive, was consulting a thesaurus in

the hope of finding another word for "climination" that meant the

Mr. Yeutter's move was in re-

sponse to a statement by Willy De

Clercq, the chief EC negotiator,

that the word "elimination" was

As negotiators prepared for a

late-night session, the European

Community was still meeting to

consider its response, Henri Nallet,

the French minister of agriculture,

said he saw signs of movement in

the U.S. position, but that the U.S.

demands were still not acceptable.

But the negotiating climate ap-

seared to have improved somewhat

after acrimonious exchanges over

the past two days that had seriously

Mr. Nallet said earlier in the day

that the U.S. negotiators had made

their case "with a lot of vigor and a

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He accused the Americans of

threatened U.S.-EC relations.

certain aggressivity."

unacceptable to the community.

the world trade system.

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U.S. and EC Try to End

**Deadlock Over Trade** 

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#### Officer North tietes Arafat Says PLO Dientiere ... Einter zuests zie Recognizes Israel

New York Times Service STOCKHOLM - Yasser Ara-

at, in a joint statement with a group of American Jews, said sday that the Palestine Liberation Organization accepted the THE COMPEXISTENCE of the state of Israel.
Mr. Arafat, who led a PLO dele-

3. ANNEgation that held a two-day meeting Milwith five American Jews in Stock-L'20 Tholm, issued the joint statement Engraying that his organization "ac-"tate" and "declared its rejection ind condemnation of terrorism in

\* x voite li its forms." In a news conference, Mr. Arafat refused to grant Mr. Arafat a visa referred to the declaration in Al-See Essiers a month ago by the Palestine and he ENational Council, which serves the Existing LO as a sort of parliament in Exile. The declaration intolicitly recognized Israel and renounced

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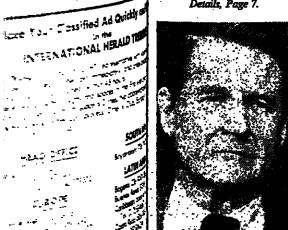
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#### Deadly Quake In Armenia

An earthquake took the lives of "many people" Wednesday as it devastated a mountainous section of Westem Armenia, the Soviet government reported in Moscow.

A witness put the death toll FOR at "tens of thousands" and the quake caused "serious destruction" to the cities of Leninakan and Kirovakan, and the towns of Spitak, Stepanavan and Gurgark.

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William H. Webster got an "open-ended" mandate from George Bush to stay on at the CIA. Page 3.

#### General News

Nagasaki's mayor criticized Hirohito on the anniversary of Page 2.

#### Pearl Harbor. **Business/Finance**

The British financier Peter Clowes was charged with theft and conspiracy to steal over Gold prices will probably fall into the new year, bullion analysts say.

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Israel for being vague and ambigu-

Since 1975, the policy of the United States government has been adopted last November could be that it will not "recognize or negotiate with" the PLO until the group accepts Israel's right to exist. shington later added a second condition, a PLO remunciation of

The PLO statement came just a week before Mr. Arafat was scheduled to address a special session of the United Nations General Assembly in Geneva. The session was moved from New York because Secretary of State George P. Shultz to enter the United States on the PLO, he was an accessory to terror-

The Swedish foreign minister, Sten Andersson, who arranged the meeting between the PLO delegation and members of the America Jewish community, said that Wednesday's joint statement represented "a breakthrough in the peace process" because "the PLO explicitly accepts Israel as a state."
Prime Minister Ingvar Carlsson
added, "This is an historic step."

The American Jews who met in Sweden with the PLO also stressed that the statement could be an important step toward a peaceful settlement of the conflict in the Middle East and urged the American government to begin talking with the PLO.

"We hope deeply that the U.S. government will now open a dia-logue with the PLO," said Rita Hauser, who heads the American arm of the International Center for Peace in the Middle East, a Tel Aviv-based research group. "The

By Reginald Dale

International Herald Tribune
MONTREAL — The United

States and the European Commu-nity readied late Wednesday a final

bid to break an acrimonious dis-

pute over farm subsidies that

threatened to block progress to

In the first sign of movement in the long-running dispute, the United States offered to find new ter-

minology to express its demand for a commitment by other countries to eliminate all trade-distorting

farm subsidies over a fixed period

The United States also dropped

demands that the 103-nation Mon-

treal trade meeting set a final date

for the subsidies' abolition, saying

that could be agreed in later negoti-

U.S. officials, however, empha-

sized that there had been no change

of substance in the American posi-

tion, and a senior European official

said the gesture was not enough to

satisfy the Europeans. The commu-

nity has adamantly rejected any

idea of the complete elimination of

Conference officials said the two

sides were still far apart and there

remained a serious risk that the the

final bid to reach agreement would

Alan F. Holmer, U.S. deputy

trade representative, said a failure

to settle the farm dispute in Mon-

treal would not be a disaster for the

world trade reform.

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# By 500,000 Men and 10,000 Tanks Afghan

total, and said Moscow would withdraw six tank divisions from East Germany, Czechoslovakia and Hun-

• He called for a cease-fire in Afghanistan beginning Jan. 1, and the use of UN peace-keepers to guarantee a neutral government,

of staff, citing health reasons. Gorbachev said Moscow was

• The dollar shot up as currency

deficit. Page 11.

• Tokyo's stock market hit a record high. Page 11.

 Margaret Thatcher and NATO Secretary-General Manfred Wörner

Raisa Gorbachev made peace

# He Vows Shift to Industry

By Fred Farris

UNITED NATIONS, New York - Mikhail S. Gorbachev, calling for a "period of peace," announced Wednesday that the Sovi-et Union would cut its armed forces unilaterally by 500,000 and would undertake to switch some industry from armaments to peaceful production.

In his inaugural address to the United Nations German Assembly. Mr. Go. ache

thousands of tanks, as well as troops, would be withdrawn from Eastern Europe, and other forces would be pulled from Mongolia.

The Soviet president also called for a Jan. 1 cease-fire throughout

#### عسد شد government ، orces supplied guerrillas. He urged the deployment of a UN peacekeeping force in Afghanistan and the speedy convention of a UN confer-ence on Afghan and a UN confer-

countries. And he piedged continuhuman rights in the Soviet Union. The Soviet cutback in Europe, Mr. Gorbachev said, would include the withdrawal of assault troops

and offensive weapons, such as tanks and artillery, from East Germany, Czechoslovakia and Hungary. It would involve disbanding six tank divisions, a reduction of forces by 50,000 men and 5,000 tanks from those countries and a total reduction, including armaments based in the Soviet Union, of 10,000 tanks, 8,500 artillery systems and 800 combat aircraft

China, he added that "a major portion" of Soviet troops stationed in Mongolia would return home.

These steps, Mr. Gorbachev said, were made possible by an "atmosphere of trust" stemming from the conclusion of the treaty with the United States eliminating inter-

mediate-range nuclear weapons. "A large breach has thus been made in a seemingly unbreakable wall of suspicion and animosity." he said. "We are witnessing the emergence of a new historic reality a turning away from the principle of superarmament to the principle of reasonable defense sufficien-

At the same time, Mr. Gorbachev said, he wished to draw attention to "the problem of transition from the economy of armaments to

an economy of disarmament." He said that Moscow was prepared in this connection to "draw up and make public our internal plan of conversion; in the course of 1989 to draw up as an experiment conversion plans for two or three defense plants; to make public our experience in providing employment for specialists from military industry and in using its equipment, buildings and structures in civilian production."

And he challenged all countries, "in the first place major military powers," to submit their own conversion plans to the UN.

In his hourlong speech, Mr. Gorbachev noted warmly "the changes for the better in the substance and the atmosphere of the relationship between Moscow and Washing

See TROOPS, Page 6

#### A Busy Day in New York for the Man From Moscow • Gorbachev, Reagan and Bush traders reasoned that Soviet military met, and Reagan said he "heartily" reductions would allow the U.S. to Gorbachev offered a unilateral reduction in Soviet troops by 500,000, 10 percent of the estimated approved of Gorbachev's overtures. respond in kind and cut its budget

gary by 1991 and disband them.

 Soviet officials announced the retirement of the armed forces chief

ready to order a moratorium of up to 100 years on debt servicing by the least developed nations.

welcomed the troop cuts. Page 6.

with Nancy Reagan. Page 6.

# Reagan 'Heartily' Approves Overture

for "an international conference on the neutrality and demilitarization NEW YORK - Mikhail S. Gorbachev, Ronald Reagan and George Bush held a luncheon meet-The issue of Moscow's sending ing on Governors Island in New troops to Afghanistan to bolster York Harbor on Wednesday after the Marxist government against Moslem guerrillas has been an obthe Soviet leader's call for a "period stacle to improving U.S.-Soviet re-lations for a decade. The United of peace" and announcement of a unilateral Soviet troop cutback. In a day of superpower sub-stance and symbolism, the Soviet president answered Mr. Bush's wel-States has funneled arms to mujahidin groups fighting to oust the

coming handshake with a vigorous two-handed embrace. He said the U.S. president-elect would find the Soviets ready "without long pauses or backtracking" to

conflict, Mr. Gorbachev said that continue improving relations. the Soviet view was that "within the competence of the United Nations, President Reagan said he "heartily" approved of Mr. Gorbachev's overtures, made in a speech at the the General Assembly Resolution United Nations.

supplemented by some specific "We've accomplished much," Mr. Reagan said before sitting down for his fifth meeting with Mr. "A complete cease-fire, effec-Gorbachev. "There are still things tive everywhere as of Jan. I, 1989,

and the cessation of all offensive Mr. Gorbachev, who was taking operations or shellings, with the a measure of Mr. Bush as well as opposing Afghan groups retaining for the duration of negotiations, all territories under their control. bidding Mr. Reagan farewell, also expressed satisfaction as reporters crowded around the three men at · Linked to that, stopping as of the water's edge on Governors Isthe same date any supplies of arms land off lower Manhattan.

At the outset the three leaders sat before a fire in a library of the local • "For the period of establishing coast guard commander's mansion. Mr. Reagan, at 77 the senior retiring partner of the group, sat be-tween Mr. Gorbachev, 57, and Mr. contingent of United Nations

The Soviet leader said that the Soviet decision to trim its forces • "We also request the secretaryhad been taken unilaterally. general to facilitate early imple-mentation of the idea of holding an He said, "We can move forward

only together and so we do hope that the United States and the Europeans will work with us and will also take certain steps." Mr. Reagan said that "we cer-

"continue most actively to assist in tainly would adjust" Western troop bealing the wounds of the war and strength downward if Mr. Gorbaare prepared to cooperate in this chev's move "left us with a superiendeavor both with the United Na-Secretary of State George P. Additionally, he said, the Soviets

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Mr. Gorbachev, his interpreter looking on, with Mr. Reagan and Mr. Bush on Governors Island.

# Military Chief Resigns, Health Cited

troops, who are set to leave by Feb. 15, has fallen behind schedule as NEW YORK — The Soviet Armed Forces chief of general staff, Sergei F. Akhromeyev, has retired for health reasons, the chief

Foreign Ministry spokesman said here Wednesday. The comments by the spokesman, Gennadi I. Gerasimov, were made in a television interview after President Mikhail S. Gorbachev

et troop strength. Mr. Gerasimov insisted that Marshal Akhromeyev's departure had nothing to do with the troop cut announcment and said the chief of staff would remain as an adviser to Mr. Gorbachev.

announced major plans to cut Sovi-

The spokesman told the CNN television network that Marshal Akhromeyev, 65, had retired strict- key role in developing the treaty to

ly for health reasons. Mr. Gerasimov also said that clear missiles. Defense Minister Dimitri Yazov would stay on in his post. There bachy announced a troop reduction plan, as had been anticipated. Asked by reporters whether the

resisting his troop reduction plan, Mr. Gorbachev smiled and exclaimed. "Nyet, nyet, nyet." Marshal Akhromeyev was appointed chief of staff in 1984 after posts in a purge after a West Gerthe shooting down of a Korean

Soviet military establishment was

Marshal Akhromeyev played a

During the Washington summit meeting in December, he became had been rumors that General Ya-zov would also resign if Mr. Gor-ure to be given a guided tour of the Pentagon. General Yazov, formally junior

to Marshal Akhromeyev, was ap-pointed defense minister in May 1987 on the dismissal of Sergei So-

Marshal Sokolov and other top military commanders lost their man teen-ager, Mathias Rust, flew across sensitive Soviet territory on airliner over Soviet territory in the across sensitive Soviet territory on Far East. He replaced Marshal Ni-board a light aircraft and landed near Red Square in Moscow.



Sergei F. Akhromeyev

# NATO Welcomes Cuts, but Will Insist on Still More

## In West, a Public Relations Gain

By Joseph Fitchett International Herald Tribune

PARIS - The unilateral cuts in Soviet forces in Eastern Europe announced Wednesday by Mikhail S. Gorbachev would significantly blunt the Warsaw Pact's ability to mount a lightning offensive. But they fall far short of the reductions NATO governments are expected to request in the forthcoming East-West talks

on troops in Europe.

The departure of six Soviet tank divisions from East Germany, Czechoslovakia and Hungary - which cuts the best Soviet frontline forces by roughly a third -would strengthen West European belief that the Soviet Union was easing away from its offensive military posture.

Overall, the changes amount to a powerful public signal to world opinion that Mr. Gorbachev apparently intends to push through his oft-proclaimed military re-

In disclosing his plans for cuts, at a time the West is planning its position at the

East-West arms control talks on conventional forces in Europe, which are to open early next year, he also sought an international public relations success.

His made his announcement a day before the NATO foreign ministers meet in Brussels for a two-day session at which

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they are expected to work out the opening Western demands in those talks. Officially, NATO officials welcomed the Soviet move, but officials said they would expect much deeper cuts to emerge from the negotiations

Is his speech Wednesday, Mr. Gorbachev, faced with a Western challenge that he keep his promises, once again responded by at least partially accepting the Western demand.

Coming after the Soviet withdrawal from Afghanistan, the dismantling of Soviet et SS-20 intermediate-range nuclear mis-

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#### In Moscow, an Audacious Risk? By Michael Dobbs

Washington Post Service

NEW YORK — By planning unilateral cuts in the size of his country's armed forces, President Mikhail S. Gorbachev has embarked on an audacious gambit that could bring great reward but that also carries considerable risk.

Sharp cuts in the size of the Soviet armed forces could earn Mr. Gorbachev international prestige as well as the gratitude of ordinary Russians if the money saved is put into the civilian economy.

But the move almost certainly will provoke intense opposition from both Kremlin conservatives and senior Army officers, who have gone on record during the last year in criticizing the idea of unilateral

The last major attempt to cut the size of the Soviet armed forces was undertaken by Nikita S. Khrushchev and could have played a role in his overthrow and replacement as premier by the more conservative figure of Leonid I. Brezhnev in 1964. After

Mr. Khrushchev's fall, the Soviet Union embarked on a big military buildup, achieving strategic parity with the United

States in the early 1970s. In recent months, Soviet military leaders have specifically referred to Mr. Khrushchev's reduction in the standing Red

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Army as a dangerous precedent that should be avoided.

General Ivan Treryak, commander of air defense forces, described Mr. Khrushchev's move as "a terrible blow to our defense capacity" and said that unilateral cuts should be examined "a thousand times

"I suspect that Tretyak was talking not simply for himself, but was expressing the dominant view among senior Soviet officers." said Mark Kramer, a military affairs analyst with Harvard University's Russian

Research Center. "Virtually every senior See ASSESS, Page 6

By Barry James nel Hereld Tribune

PARIS - In a move to reduce delays that plagned air travelers last summer, European countries are likely to hand part of the responsibility for controlling traffic flows in their jealously guarded air spaces to centers to be established in Brussels and Moscow in the

The centers, known as central executive units, will not be fully operational until 1994, but steps to create the new system will begin immediately, officials said.

The plan was agreed on during a ing in Paris of the European Air Navigation Planning Group, a 14-nation body of the International Civil Aviation Organization, with observers from nine other countries and six international organizations.

The projected system is intended to deal with the doubling of air traffic envisaged between now and 1995 and a surge of traffic after the creation of the European single market in 1992. Traffic in the European region grew by 10 percent in 1988, and planners expect a similar increase next year.

A report prepared for the meeting said that 12 existing independent "flow management" units in Europe can no longer cope adequately with traffic peaks, and that far greater centralization is necessary. The situation has become nageable" because of a lack of traffic control capacity and be-

#### ATR-42 Recalled To Modify Wings

PARIS — The French-Italian consortium that builds the ATR-42 commuter aircraft said Wednesday that it was recalling 70 of the planes in order to modify a wing segment that may become liable to metal

A spokesman for Aerospatiale, which is a partner with Aeritalia SpA of Italy in building the turbo-prop aircraft, said that the fault was unlikely to emerge for many years, but that it planned to modify the aircraft in the course of the coming year as part of the consortimm's commitment to safety.

The spokesman said a small crack appeared in a central wing segment subjected in tests to the equivalent of 45,000 take-offs and ndings, or an average flying life of 15 years. The oldest of the planes was delivered in 1985 and has done about 8,000 landings.

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cause of the absence of coordination among traffic control centers, the report said.

Starting next spring, a spokesman said, the control centers in London, Paris, Frankfurt, Rome and Madrid will operate as a single unit linked by a permanent telephone hot line. This will evolve into the central executive unit for Westem Europe, while a similar unit will be set up between Moscow and Prague to handle traffic in Eastern Енторе.

The plan is for the two units eventually to be fully coordinated with inter-linked data bases, offi-

The units are to coordinate traffic flows in their respective areas. The hope is that this will eliminate the kinds of delays caused last summer, when various countries' traffic control managers were unable to communicate directly among themselves, often because of the disparity of their computers.

The main control centers in Western Europe set up a single flow management arrangement last summer, but it was hampered by the lack of a permanent hot line, which is scheduled to be operative before the start of next year's spring traffic buildup.

The decision to set up closer traffic coordination follows a meeting in October of transport ministers from the 22-nation European Civil Aviation Conference, who met in Frankfurt to deal collectively for the first time with congestion.

They called on Eurocontrol, the

Brussels-based air traffic control body, to define the needs and costs of setting up a central unit. While Brussels is likely to evolve as the site of Western Europe's data bank, officials said there was no question of Western controllers' having any authority over Eastern-bloc air space of vice versa.

Nevertheless, they said, the East European countries have fully supported the work of the European Air Navigation Planning Group; they allowed flights from Scandi-navia to the Mediterranean, for example, to use their air space during peak times in Western Europe. Even Albania has agreed to overflights to relieve pressure on the heavily traveled routes in the Adriatic, the officials said.

In a similar agreement reached under the auspices of the International Civil Aviation Organization, the Soviet Union and China will allow international airlines to use faster, nonston routes between Enrope and the Far East, eliminating the need for dog-legs over the

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BANGLADESH SURVIVORS — After what some observers called Banglahesh's worst cyclone and tidal wave in 20 years, a group of survivors waited on an island in the Bay of Bengal for the arrival of relief supplies. At least 2,200 people died in the disaster.

# Mayor of Nagasaki Criticizes Hirohito

TOKYO - The mayor of Nagasaki, speaking on the 47th anniversary of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, blamed Emperor Hirohito on Wednesday for failing to exert his influence to end the war and spare Nagasaki and Hiroshima from nuclear attack,

"I myself was forced to tell people to die in the name of the emperor," said Mayor Hitoshi Motoshima, a former officer of the wartime Japanese Army who instructed young soldiers.

"From my own experiences with army education. I think the emperor bears some responsi-bility for the war."

Observers could not recall when a mayor of a major Japanese city had publicly held the emperor responsible for deaths in the war.

Hirohito, 87 and seriously ill, was regarded by the Japanese as a living god during the war, and the military regime, which held power, attacked Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, in the

Hirohito, reduced to a symbol of state after the war, has never fully explained his role charing the war years. Though a small segment of the Japanese people has protested this, the vast majority consider him blameless and re-

Motoshima said that if Hirohito had exerted his influence on the Japanese military regime to end the war early, the U.S. atomic bombings on Hiroshima and Nagasaki in August 1945 would

More than 100,000 people were killed in the bombing of Hiroshima on Aug. 6, and about 70,000 were listed as dead in the Nagasaki attack three days later. The Japanese surrendered to Allied forces on Aug. 15, 1945.

Hiroshito has been bedridden since Sept. 19 at his residence in Tokyo's moated Imperial Palace, reportedly suffering with abdominal cancer.

# Carlucci Outlines Reduced Role for U.S. in Gulf

By Patrick E. Tyler

Washington Post Service CAIRO - The U.S. defense secretary, Frank C. Carlucci, said Wednesday that U.S. naval forces would further reduce escort duties this month in the Gulf, but that overall U.S. force levels would remain the same until there was some

> ended a farewell tour of Gulf states with a visit to Kuwait.

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progress in the Iran-Iraq peace

the stalled talks, Mr. Carlucci said, the Reagan administration will not make any significant reduction, thus leaving the decision to the administration of President-elect George Bush

"Our naval forces have shifted from escorting to accompanying and this month they will go to mon-itoring," Mr. Carlucci said. "It means they don't have to go with He made his comments as he every ship. They can just keep track Gulf sheikhdom was considering need a farewell tour of Gulf states of the ships and be prepared to abandoning the arrangement. respond as necessary.

Aug. 20.

Mr. Carlucci said that Kuwaiti are no longer there."

He added, "Kuwait will seek to He added, "Kuwait will seek t to continue operating half of their oil tanker fleet under the American flag. But the Knwaiti minister of information told The Associated

Press on Tuesday that the northern "The reflagging was strictly a

The decision reflects the absence commercial deal," said the minisof any hostile activity in the Gulf by Iran or Iraq since a United Na-tions-supervised cease-fire began

reduce the foreign military pres-ence in the Gulf water."

Kuwaiti officials said they would like U.S. and Western assistance in clearing mines that still plague some parts of the Gulf. Gulf shipping executives said the

primary tanker route for Kuwait's fleet and the oil fleets of Saudi Arabia and the lower Gulf states were closely monitored for mines, but that some areas remained potentially dangerous. Mr. Carincci said he had dis-

cussed the reflagging matter with Kuwait's crown prince and prime minister, Sheikh Saad Abdullah Sa-

for renewal Feb, 1.

The outgoing defense secretary stopped in Kuwait on the final leg of a tour that included Oman, Bah-

On Tuesday, Mr. Carlucci flew by helicopter off the coast of Saudi

the heavily fortified barge bases will be deactivated. They supplement the 25-ship Joint Middle East Task Force operating in the water-way east of the Strait of Hormuz and outside the Gulf in the adjoin-

"We believe it is important to continue to remain vigilant in the Gulf," Mr. Carlucci said, "Until we see the outcome of the negotiations we do not plan any major changes

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line for making the decision was early next year, since Knwait's la-bor agreement for crewing the ves-sels under U.S. Maritime and Coast Guard supervision was up

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ing waters of the Gulf of Oman and the Arabian Sea.

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The Iran-Iraq talks are stalled on

the first step of implementation.
Iraq wants UN and international assistance to reopen the Shatt-al-Arab waterway, its only shipping channel to the Gulf, and a pledge from Iran not to board or search



#### WORLD BRIEFS

#### Estonians Reaffirm Decision to Seek Increased Sovereignty From Moscow

MOSCOW (NYT) — The Baltic republic of Estonia reaffirmed on Wednesday its recent decision that it had the right to veto Soviet law, underscoring its intention to seek increased sovereignty from Moscow

After a spirited and sometimes rancous debate, the republic's Supreme Soviet, or legislature, voted, 150 to 91, to stand by its vote last month amending the republic constitution to allow the rejection of Soviet laws that infringe on local autonomy.

When Estoma approved that amendment on Nov. 16, the Kremlin stated unequivocally that the decision was "unconstitutional," and pressure from Moscow prevented similar declarations of sovereignty by the other Baltic republics, Lithuania and Latvia.

Estonians said that the vote Wednesday was an affirmation of the republic's conviction that it, and all other republics, had the right to challenge and override Moscow when republic interests were at issue. "There was a lot of screaming and shouting before the vote," said a local journalist. "But in the end, a large majority decided that their original vote was right and they would stick to it."

#### O'Neill Turns Down Post in Ireland

WASHINGTON (AP) - Thomas P. O'Neill, the former speaker of the House of Representatives, turned down an offer to become the next ambassador to Ireland, an aide to President-elect George Bush said Wednesday. Mr. O'Neill, 76, who once expressed interest in the post, cited personal reasons for his decision.

The acting press secretary for the incoming administration, Sheila Tate, said that Mr. Bush was disappointed that Mr. O'Neill had declined the offer, made during a meeting Friday. The offer was first reported Wednesday in the Boston Claha Wednesday in the Boston Globe.

Mr. O'Neill told the newspaper that he had met with Mr. Bush and his wife, Barbara, but did not discuss details of the talks. The post is currently held by Margaret M. Heckler, the former secretary of health

#### Britain Endorses Anti-Terrorism Act LONDON (Combined Dispatches) - Special powers that British police have used for 14 years to fight terrorism in Northern Ireland have

been made permanent by the House of Commons.

The Commons voted Tuesday, 305 to 45, in favor of a bill under which
Parhament no longer would have to renew the 1974 Prevention of Parnament no longer would have to renew the 1974 revention of Temorism Act every year. The act gives police the power to detain terrorist suspects without trial for up to a week and to bar suspects in Northern Ireland from entering mainland Britain.

In Dublin, meanwhile, Parliament adopted extradition safeguards as law by a sizeable majority. Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher has sharply

criticized the safeguards, which allow extradition of suspected criminals to Britain only if the Irish attorney general is satisfied that sufficient evidence has been presented by British police.

(AP, Reute. 1)

#### Mandela Is Moved to a Prison Farm

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — Nelson Mandela, the long imprisoned leader of the African National Congress, has been moved from a clinic to an a private house on a prison farm outside Cape Town, his lawyer said

The lawyer, Ismail Ayob, said that Mr. Mandela, 70, had been Provide transferred to the Victor Verster Prison in Taarl, a suburb of Cape Town. No details about the conditions of his stay there were immediately available, but government officials said that he would have greater access to his family and to visitors.

The government said last month that he would not be returned to prison when he had recovered from tuberculosis.

#### Nicaragua Pilot Defects to Honduras TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (AP) — A Nicaraguan pilot defected Wednesday and flew a Soviet-made attack helicopter to a Honduran air base, diplomatic sources and Nicaragua's leftist Sandinista government

The diplomatic sources said the military pilot landed the MI-25 helicopter gunship at the Toncontin Air Base in Tegucigalpa, the Hondu-

In Managua, the Defense Ministry confirmed that a defector hijacked a Soviet-made helicopter to Costa Mejia Air Force Base, another name for the Toncontin facility. Its statement referred to the pilot, "ex-Captain" Edwin Estrada Leiva, as a "CIA terrorist."

#### TRAVEL UPDATE

#### Rome to Impose Traffic Restrictions

ROME (AP) — The city government of Rome voted Wednesday to impose restrictions on traffic within the ancient city walls during the Christmas holidays, according to the Itahan news agency ANSA.

alternate days depending on their license plate numbers, is expected to last from Dec. 14-23. There are 1.6 million cars registered in Rome, which # has a population of 3 million.

Nigeria Airways flights to Europe have been resumed after a weeklong break caused by a ban on overflying Algeria, airline officials said in Lagos. The ban, lifted on Monday, was imposed after the airline paid a first installment on the more than \$5 million it owes in air traffic

Uganda Airlines has resumed services to Loudon after winning official British permission to use an old and noisy Boeing 707. The airlines' only it is noisy aircraft crashed last month. A British source said, however, that

the concession would last only eight weeks.

(AP)

About 100 Spanish youths ran not in French ski resorts, looting shops, homes and cars and causing about 100,000 francs (\$16,000) worth of damage, tourist officials said on Wednesday. The disturbances Monday and Tuesday occurred in the resort of Val-Thorens and the neighboring and Tuesday occurred in the resort of Val-Thorens and the neighboring. village of Les Menuires.

Turkey reported that a record 3.8 million tourists came to its beaches and ancient ruins this year, up from 2.9 million in 1987 and 2.4 million in 1986. The Tourism Ministry said it hopes more than 4 million will come next year, bringing \$2.6 billion in revenue, compared with \$2.2 billion in

# Roy Orbison, Musician, Dies at 52 in Tennessee

HENDERSONVILLE, Tennessee - Roy Orbison, 52, whose piercing voice on songs such as "Oh Pretty Woman" made him a rock music legend, died of a heart attack here Tuesday.

Rockabilly to Ballads

By Jon Pareles New York Times Service Mr. Orbison was one of rock's most gifted singers, with a clear tenor voice that soared into falset-to. In a string of hits that he wrote and sang from the late 1950s through the mid-1960s, he moved between two styles — uptempo rockabilly sougs and dramatic bal-

Characteristically dressed in black leather, with dark glasses and slicked hair, Mr. Orbison was an introverted, untheatrical performer, but his voice was riveting. He was born and grew up in Texas. He began performing pro-fessionally in his teens with the Wink Westerners. After two years at North Texas State University, he

dropped out and started a band called the Teen Kings.
In 1960, he found his signature style with "Only the Lonely," a Latin-tinged ballad that climbs more than an octave in its last more than an octave in its last verse. Through the early 1960s, the hits continued: "Running Scared," "Crying" and "Tim Hurting" in 1961; "Dream Baby" and "Leah" in 1962; "In Dreams," "Falling" and "Blue Bayou" in 1963; "Oh Pretty Woman" and "It's Over" in 1964, and "Groednight" in 1965 1964, and "Goodnight" in 1965.

writing dried up. In 1968, a fire at his Nashville home killed two of their three children. Mr. Orbison remarried in 1969 and performed steadily through the 1970s, although his string of hits had ended. He had open heart surgery in 1979. Mr. Orbison had begun a comeback in the 1980s. As a member of

After the death of his wife, Clau-

dette Orbison, in 1966 in a motor-cycle accident, Mr. Orbison's song-

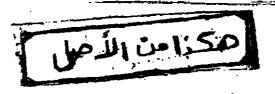
the Traveling Wilburys, a group that includes Bob Dylan and George Harrison, he sang the group's "tent single, "Handle With Care." A new Orbison album had been scheduled for February.

Charles D. Saxon, 68, a cartoonist whose drawings satirized the lifestyles of the sophisticated in The New Yorker for three decades, of heart failure Tuesday in Stamford. Connecticut.

Thornton F. Bradshaw, 71, a genteel corporate statesman who espoused social responsibility as he reshaped Atlantic Richfield Co. and RCA Corp., Thesday in New York of a cerebral hemorrhage.

August Howard, 78, founder of the American Polar Society and the editor of a newsletter for polar explorers and researchers, of heart

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risk from these substances. The study is part of a \$60 million program to assess the extent of environmental damage from produc-ing and maintaining the nation's

nuclear arsenal

rials at a few weapon plants.

New York Times Service Until the last two years, howev-- WASHINGTON - Pollution maintained that pollution from its weapons plants did not pose any from nuclear weapon plants in Ohio and Texas and from two national laboratories in northern Calilomia pose serious threats to public health, according to a report by the Department of Energy.

The report for the first time ranks 155 instances of contamination at 16 weapon plants and lab-oratories in order of the potential hazard they pose to the environ-ment and public health.

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rence Livermore National National than has previously been known.

The report made it clear that the contamination could eventually pose a risk to such population centers as Amarillo, Texas; Twin Falls, and Deputer. Laboratory and the Sandia National Laboratory in Livermore, California, were ranked third and ninth, respectively, in severity.

Agence France-Presse

used for collecting waste oil ex-

ploded Wednesday and caught fire

The report contained some surprises. The release of hundreds of Il Idaho, and Denver. thousands of pounds of radioactive manium dust at the Fernald Feed Materials Center in Fernald, Ohio, was ranked 16th in severity. Uranium is a toxic heavy metal like lead but is not highly radioactive.

The Idaho National Engineering AND read that Mr. Mandels hi in the report has very serious pollu-or Version Prison in Tairl a submiddle tion problems. Solving them will conditions of his stay there were test the limits of technology and the Laboratory near Idaho Falls, according to the report, was one of the most contaminated sites in the veamon industry. A 17th plant, the Waste Isolation Operations to process nuclear

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The Energy Department said Tuesday that the report would be useful in setting priorities and es-tablishing a schedule for undertaking what could become the most expensive environmental cleanup in American history. TOKYO — A Japanese tanker

"It will provide the department with the information necessary to allocate funds for environmental cleanup in a systematic and responsaid John S. Herrington, the secretary of energy.

# Pickering: A Pro at Executing Policy

Washington Past Service
WASHINGTON — In June 1983, President Ronald Reagan, unhappy with the pace of efforts to combat leftist guerrillas in El Salvador, ordered a shakeup of U.S. diplomats that was to include the replacement of Deane R. Hinton as ambassador in El Salvador with an obscure, retired air force officer But Secretary of State George P. Shultz,

warned by subordinates that the move would health hazard because the contamidevastate Foreign Service morale, blocked nation had been contained on huge the plan by promising Mr. Reagan to send an reservations established in remote ambassador who would represent "the cream parts of the country since World of America's career diplomats." More recently, the government

The envoy he had in mind was Thomas Reeve Pickering, a balding, bespectacled, Foreign Service veteran who was once described by Harold Brown, then air force secretary and later defense secretary in the Carter administration, as "just about the brightest young fellow I've ever seen," and by Jordan's King Hussein as "the best American ambassador I've ever dealt with."

On Tuesday, President-elect George Bush chose Mr. Pickering, 57, who is completing a three-and-a-half year assignment as ambas-sador to Israel, for the most symbolically important of all U.S. diplomatic posts: ambassador to the United Nations.

Mr. Pickering's proposed nomination for the UN job, following his back-to-back stints in El Salvador and Israel, underscores the degree to which top-level policymakers seem to turn to him when they need someone for a sensitive, high-priority ambassadorship.

He will be going to the United Nations at a time when its role in helping to resolve several major regional conflicts has given the world body a new prestige.

Mr. Bush, who served briefly as the UN

Nancy Reagan

On the Podium

Raises Stakes

ambassador under President Richard Nixon, apparently wants Mr. Pickering to be a different type of ambassador than most of his

recent predecessors. Andrew Young, under President Jimmy Carter, and Jeane J. Kirkpatrick, in Mr. Reagan's first term, were known less for their UN service than as leaders of strong ideological factions in their respective administrations. The incumbent ambassador, Vernon A. Walters, seems to spend more time on diplomatic trouble-shooting missions than on UN busi-

Mr. Bush said Tuesday that he would not give his UN ambassador the cabinet rank these predecessors held. Instead, he appears to want a relatively low-profile diplomat who specializes in carrying out policy, not in mak-

That is precisely the reputation Mr. Pickering earned during a 29-year career that also has included stints as ambassador to Jordan and Nigeria, and as assistant secretary of state for scientific and environmental affairs. That record has made him the highest-ranking officer in the Foreign Service, the senior of the four persons who hold the personal super-rank of "career ambassador.

That does not mean that Mr. Pickering has not picked up his share of critics. Senator Jesse Helms, Republican of North Carolina. sought to have Mr. Pickering dismissed for allegedly working against rightist forces in El

And some Israeli political leaders criticized Mr. Pickering because he purportedly advocated more balance in the U.S. approach to the Arab-Israeli conflict.

Mr. Pickering's time in El Salvador and Israel brought him before the congressional Iran-contra investigating committees, where



Thomas R. Pickering, choice for the UN.

Rodriguez, a friend of Mr. Bush's foreign-policy adviser, Donald P. Gregg. Mr. Pickering said he believed Mr. Rodri-guez was asid in the Salved Mr. Rodriguez forces and did not know that Mr. Rodriguez

helped provide aid to Nicaragua's rebels. He also testified he was unaware that in 1985 and 1986 arms were being sent through Israel to Iran as part of a deal managed by Oliver L. North, then an aide to the National

But he said he was "not enthusi-

astic" about another proposal that has been discussed: a national sales

of Texas.

might be needed to cut the deficit. position on the issue.

A Key Democrat Urges

Tax Rise to Cut Deficit

By Peter T. Kilborn

New York Times Service

tax legislator in the House of Rep-

resentatives says that he has little

doubt the government will have to

raise taxes to reduce the federal

Representative Dan Rostenkow-

ski, the Illinois Democrat who is

chairman of the House Ways and

Means Committee, said Tuesday that his first choice would be a

large increase in the federal tax on

gasoline, currently 9 cents a gallon.

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in proposing ways to reduce the

change of heart, they could deflect

the blame should taxes be raised.

to be moving away from that

But Mr. Rostenkowski appears

budget deficit.

the fly," he said.

WASHINGTON - The chief

a curb on Social Security benefits ern states. Mr. Bush has not taken a

As for Mr. Bush's campaign promise to lower taxes on capital gains, Mr. Rostenkowski said that

this looked "absolutely impossi-He made his remarks to reporters prior to a meeting with Richard G. Darman, who was named by

Mr. Bush to head the Office of Management and Budget. The two were leaders of the overhand of the tax system two years ago, when Mr. Darman was deputy Treasury secretary. They are assuming similar roles now to deal

He said that revenues collected with the budget deficit. With a comment that perhap from the tax increase should be set indicated political difficulties aside for cutting the deficit. Such a provision, he implied, would raise ahead, Mr. Rostenkowski said, the tax's appeal among foes of "Darman's very bright, but he isn't higher taxes.
That's the molasses that catches always right."

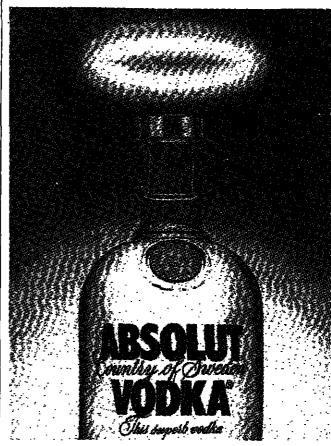
Support for an increase in the gasoline tax has been growing. Democrats, who control both chambers of Congress, have said that President-elect George Bush The chairman of the Federal Reserve Board, Alan Greenspan, sees

it as the least of all evils if spending reductions alone cannot balance the budget. Mr. Greenspan's predecessor, Paul A. Volcker, agrees. Numerous Mr. Bush has pledged not to raise taxes, and the Democrats special interest groups also support have hoped that, by awaiting a the proposal.

But there is opposition from the

But there is opposition from the automobile industry, which fears a decline in car sales, and from the domestic oil industry, which is con-centrated in Mr. Bush's home state

The oil industry wants a tax on imported foreign oil, which could bolster the domestic industry and Mr. Rostenkowski also said that help the economy in the Southwest-



# Bush, in Naming Webster, Stresses **Need for Continuity at Head of CIA**

By Stephen Engelberg

New York Times Service

WASHINGTON — In deciding

that Mr. Webster had an "open-

ended" tenure in the job, and the

chief spokesman for the Central

Intelligence Agency said "the di-

rector needed a clear mandate, and

The spokesman, William M.

Baker, said Mr. Webster planned to

keep his management team intact,

beginning with Robert M. Gates,

After Mr. Bush won election last

month, critics of both Mr. Gates

and Mr. Webster mounted efforts

to displace-them, attacking their

management of the agency. But

he has it."

his deputy director.

New York Times Service WASHINGTON - In a to keep William H. Webster as diconversation with reporters, Nancy Reagan was discussing rector of central intelligence, Presiher plans upon leaving the White House on Jan. 20. dent-elect George Bush has moved toward resuming the tradition that the post should not change hands Among other projects, she said, she planned to do some with the election of a new presipublic speaking.

What was she going to seek There had been suggestions that as her fee on the lecture cir-cuit, she was asked, \$25,000 a Mr. Webster would be reappointed but would hold the job for only speech? about one year. "Twenty-five?" she mused. But Mr. Bush said on Tuesday

"That sounds good." That's what Ollie North s," she was told. Oliver L. North is the former National Security Council staff aide who is under indictment in connection with the Iran-contra affair.

"He does?" Mrs. Reagan exclaimed. "Let's make that thirty." Her husband is expected to earn fees of up to \$75,000 a speech, according to a recent magazine report. Former Pres-ident Gerald R. Ford and former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger receive about

gence Committee and Mr. Bush

tain Mr. Webster. "My own view is that it is impor- ing a very troubling period." tant for there to be some continuity in executing the mission of our intelligence agencies," he said.

Mr. Bush served as CIA director under President Gerald R. Ford aid the Nicaraguan rebels. but was let go when President Jimmy Carter took office. He was the first director to be treated that way in the history of the agency, which was established in 1947. President Ronald Reagan subsequently re-placed Mr. Carter's director, Stansfield Turner, with his campaign manager, William J. Casey,

Mr. Webster has headed the agency for 19 months and is creditwith restoring relations with phasis on counterintelligence.

Democrat who is charman of the Senate Intelligence Committee, praised Mr. Webster's appointment. Mr. Boren said, "This action angered some agency officials, but both officials were supported by ted to a professiona the leadership of the Senate Intelli-intelligence service."

made it clear on Tuesday that he out both Mr. Webster and Mr. felt an historical imperative to re- Gates for having "helped restore public confidence in the CIA dur-

> Mr. Boren's comments refer to the Iran-contra affair and the role of some agency officials in assisting White House-sponsored efforts to

> Mr. Webster, 64, was director of the FBI for nine years before becoming director of central intelligence. He had previously served as a federal district court judge in his native St. Louis before being elevated to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 8th Circuit.

In one of his first decisions after taking over as CIA director in May 1987, Mr. Webster dismissed Jo-Capitol Hill and putting more em- seph F. Fernandez, the former station chief in Costa Rica who was David L. Boren, the Oklahoma later indicted for his role in the Democrat who is chairman of the contra supply network. The indict-

by the president-elect in assuring Reagan administration officials continuity at the CIA sends an imsaid that Mr. Webster wanted to portant message that he is commit-signal his disapproval of anyone who misled the agency's internal investigators.

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# Warning From Argentina

generally end the way Argentina's did this week, with the isolated rebels bowing to constitutional authority. Argentina has now withstood three such half-baked uprisings in less than two years.

This one was the work of Colonel Mohamed Ali Seineldin, an admirer of Generals Alfredo Stroessner and Juan Perón who first won renown as a commando in the Falkland war. A charismatic defender of the army's brutal 1970s "dirty war" against subversion, he was posted abroad, as a military attache in Panama, supposedly out of reach of political temptation. It wasn't far enough. His commando mentality surfaced again during the coup when his forces mined the perimeter of their stronghold a heavily populated Buenos Aires suburb.

Each new military insubordination has weakened President Raul Alfonsin's anthority. So have his retreats on human rights in the face of such military pressure. But he remains in power. Argentines have resisted the return of a military responsible for crippling debt, mass disappearances and defeat in the Falklands. They are unmoved by rebel demands for release of former junta leaders lawfully convicted of wholesale abuse of human rights.

This steadfastness, reassuring to North Americans, is also vulnerable. In nearby Peru and Brazil, erratic and bumbling civilian governments have caused deep disillusionment. Nobody is yet inviting the military back in either country, but that prospect is no longer inconceivable. South American

democracy needs Washington's urgent help. Debt is one factor undermining these democracies, but not the whole explanation. If it were, nearly every Latin regime would be in trouble. In Peru and Brazil, Presidents Alan Garcia and José Samey deserve blame for broader leadership failings. Conversely, Argentina's problems might be more acute but for President Alfonsin's strengths.

The United States has already made a positive difference. To its credit, the Reagan administration showed its preference for civilian governments, and translated that preference into bridge loans and support in the multilateral banks. This support might well be cut off after a successful coup, and that surely deters the civilian right from backing one. Even so, to help make South American democracy secure, Washington can do more to ease the debt service burden. As long as Latin economies must pay as much as 5 percent of GNP to foreign creditors, incomes will be pinched, investment will lag and development will run in reverse.

James Baker, in his new job as secretary of state, will need to consider the political as well as the financial consequences of Latin debt. The initiative he proposed as Treasury secretary three years ago has not much relieved the debtor countries' plight. Stronger measures are needed, soon.

The crowds of Argentines who turned out to defend a political system that has brought them no economic relief testify to Latin America's renewed democratic faith. Washington would be wise to value and support it. —THE NEW YORK TIMES.

# **Watch Over the Monitors**

If you are lucky, you live in a country where there is at least some tradition of respect for human rights, and the machincry of enforcement to see that those rights are observed. Where most people live, however, the tradition and machinery of the rule of law are at best a sometime thing, and human rights are respected only according to the government's convenience or competence - unhappy variables. There, it commonly happens that one's rights may be honored only to the extent that private citizens take it upon themselves to follow the situation and to holler when things go wrong. People who take up this hollering mission have come to be called human rights monitors; a private American organization called Human Rights Watch is trying right now to draw attention to them.

They are special people. They have to be. Just this year, about 30 monitors around the world have been killed, and hundreds of others have been beaten, tortured, jailed, exiled or otherwise harassed or denied their own rights even while they were seeking to ensure those of their fellow citizens. In democratic countries, violations of someone's facts — are not regarded as inviolate. rights by a citizen or by the government are

tries, such violations are often committed or condoned by the government, and there is no efficient way either to put it in the dock or to hold it to political account. There it falls to individuals to muster public opinion, from within the country or without, to call the government to a proper sense of duty. This is what the monitors do.

Their crucial role puts on their countrymen, and especially on foreigners, a heavy responsibility to care for them: to monitor the fate of the monitors. This can be done by listening attentively to their usually very knowledgeable reports of what goes on in their countries and by making sure that an offended government does not do them harm or otherwise try to spare itself their independent scrutiny. It may be very hard to nourish the rule of law in authoritarian and violence-soaked places, but the process can-hardly begin if the people who are carrying the most sensitive and dangerous part of the burden — who sound the alarms and tell the

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

#### **About Bush's Choices**

to put together a team of moderate Republicans who can work in harmony with a Democratic Congress. His choices so far, including the appointments announced on ensibly, with an eye to bride ing the division of political power between the White House and Congress that was reaffirmed by the November elections.

James Baker at State, Nicholas Brady at Treasury and the latest appointees — like Carla Hills as trade representative and Michael Boskin as chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers - are pragmatic conservatives. They should get along well with the pragmatic liberal Democrats - like George Mitchell, the Senate majority leader, and Representative William Gray, chairman of the House Democratic Caucus who will play key roles on Capitol Hill.

Mr. Bush's economic team is essentially complete. Two key advisers will be Mr. Brady and Richard Darman, director-designate of the Office of Management and Budget. A third, Mr. Boskin, is a professor at Stanford University and a fiscal conser-

vative much in the Republican mainstream. Carla Hills served as secretary of housing and urban development in the Ford administration. She should complement the selection of Robert Mosbacher as secretary of

President-elect George Bush continues commerce. Both share President Reagan's sensible views on free trade.

The national security team includes two tough-minded pragmatists, Mr. Baker and Brent Scowcroft, the former air force general Tuesday, suggest a healthy preference for who helped Mr. Reagan fashion an impornon-ideological, practical people. He is tant compromise with Democrats on arms announced that he will add Thomas Pickering to this group, as chief delegate to the United Nations, a choice worthy of applanse. He is a distinguished career Foreign Service officer, former ambassador to El Salvador and present ambassador to Israel.

Mr. Bush says he will keep William Webster as CIA director. The former judge has brought stability back to the agency after the turbulent years of William Casey. John Summu, the designated White House

chief of staff, is a question mark. As governor of New Hampshire, his voice has often been stridently partisan. An even bigger question mark is secretary of defense. Former Senator John Tower is still said to be the frontrunner, but his long history of unskeptical support for military spending and opposition to Pentagon reform should give panse.

A restrained Mr. Summu and a reformminded Pentagon chief would reinforce the message Mr. Bush sends to Congress with his new appointments: that he would rather govern than confront.

--- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

#### Other Comment

#### A Murderous Purge in Iran

Iran, on balance the loser in the Gulf War. has concentrated its venom narrowly on those who might be expected to attempt to make capital out of the reverse suffered by the Islamic Revolution. And until very recently it has been able to suppress news of its latest atrocities. Even now reports vary widely, but it is safe to assume that between 1,000 ria that makes it so suited to lead OPEC. and 5,000 political prisoners have been executed by hanging or shooting since the au-tumn and that the rate of killing is rising rapidly. The shah imprisoned and tortured his enemies on an equally appalling scale, although he was less inclined toward mass interest be pursued vigorously enough? Niexecutions. There is a tragic symmetry about geria should now make it clear that this is the periodic atrocities from which the Iranian people seem condemned to suffer. Systematic state terror comes to characterize that if elected it will refuse to serve. one regime after another, and the victims of

evil under one regime seem content to repay in kind when they take power.

- The Independent (London).

Nigeria Up Front, Yet Again The position is undoubtedly important,

but why is it that no other member country bids seriously for it? What is it about Nigeber with the biggest economic clout? In negotiation among contending members, with the neutrality that the office of presi-

- The Guardian (Lagos).

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## **OPINION**

# New Soviet Thinking? Watch the Ruble

PARIS — Absent for more than a decade, I Western businessmen are journeying again to Moscow to talk joint ventures, lines of credit and the boosting of imports of Western consumer goods and food. Moths returning to the flame for another scorching? Or farsighted entrepreneurs who stand to make a buck while others hesitate?

"It looks like the Alaska gold rush," says Arthur A. Hartman, a retired U.S. ambassador to the Soviet Union. "There are lots of people showing up with all kinds of ideas about how to make money. There's a kind of entreprenential spirit that is not really helpful."

Adds Donald M. Kendall, chairman of the

board of PepsiCo Inc. and a pioneer in East-West trade: "A lot of guys got burned in the early 1970s, when they opened offices in Moscow only to have détente go sour. We really shouldn't get that kind of euphoria again." Like Mr. Hartman he has dispiriting stories to tell about the eco-nomic dislocation caused by Mikhail Gorbachev's perestroika campaign and the bureaucratic resistance it is encountering.

Yet Mr. Hartman and Mr. Kendall both say they are "cautiously optimistic" about improved U.S.-Soviet trade relations. They delivered this assessment at an informal East-West conference in Paris last weekend, one that offered some insights into why business opportunities in the Soviet Union could be different this time.



By Jim Hoagland

From one angle, the Soviet Union should be a tempting plum. Unable to find goods worth buying in the state's hideously mismanaged shops and department stores, Soviet consumers have salted away an estimated 240 billion rubles in official savings accounts. Soviet economists think their countrymen have stuffed an equal amount into mattresses or other hiding places. This pot of pentup rubles looking for goods to buy would be worth about \$800 billion at the official exchange rate, or \$125 billion at the black market rate, a more

reliable guide to the ruble's real worth. That huge discrepancy in exchange rates suggests the essential economic reality of the Soviet Union today. Soviet currency has become nearly worthless. As Marx dreamed, communism has succeeded in robbing money of its ability to secure

economic advantage for those who possess it.

A routine wait for a new car is eight or nine years. The most expensive pair of shoes money can buy on the Soviet market fall apart in a few months. Years of waiting to buy a color television set go up in smoke when the set explodes.

The drive for reform grows from the realization that this "success" of robbing money of its value stifles initiative, creativity and other trists needed to build and maintain a modern society.

That realization, now clearly enunciated by Mr. Gorbachev, may be the beginning of wisdom. Instead of trying to maintain the separate economy that Stalin and his successors decreed as the only way of guaranteeing Soviet indepen-dence, the officials in Moscow who support Mr. Gorbachev are trying to bring their country into

the global economy dominated by the Western industrial democracies. They recognize that a key step in this process will be establishing a fully convertible ruble so that Western businessmen and exporters can repatriate profits. To achieve a convertible ruble, the Soviets will first have to undertake a long and painful price reform that could cause social upheaval and big jolts of inflation as huge subsidies which the state provides for food and other

economy and the adjustments needed to enter it.

There is a realism about the needed changes that was lacking in the first détente period. One of the three drafts of the next five-year central plan currently being discussed in Moscow reportedly

calls for zero growth of output as a target. The idea would be to spend the next five years emphasizing quality control, realistic pricing and system maintenance rather than meeting growth targets.
"We don't need to produce more steel. We already produce twice as much steel as the Unit-

ed States, three times as many shoes and as many machine tools," Soviet economist Nikolai Shmelyov said at the East-West conference, sponsored by the Dutch-based Alerdinck Foundation. "But we lose 60 percent or more of what we produce," he added. "We lose more food than we

import" because of waste, lack of transportation and other infrastructure problems. "There is no need for a Marshall Plan, or Western fire brigades bringing credits for the Soviet Union."
Mr. Shmelyov's remarks are significant for the West as well as for his own nation. In the end, the debates over whether to "help" the Soviet Union

integrate into the world economy miss the point. When the Soviets make the right economic decisions, such as establishing convertibility of the ruble, they will become major players in the world economy, whatever outsiders think about it.

The Washington Post.



# To Middle East Negotiations Via the Ballot Box

basic goods are eliminated. Moscow has already unsuccessfully sought observer status in GATT as a way of getting educated about the world

J ERUSALEM — The Middle East did not have a very high priority on the agenda as Soviet and American leaders met this week to advance their relations. That is partly because it is such an intractable issue, involving so many other nations, and partly because the improved international cli-mate has reduced the risk that the Middle East will provoke a major war.

But the Bush administration will have to turn to the festering problem soon. Everybody in the area is waiting to see how it will define America's role. The sense is still strong that no progress toward settlement can be made without an American initiative, although there have been a great many developments in the last couple of years without U.S. involvement.

The most significant has been the intifada, the uprising of Palestinians in the occupied territories, which was a year old on Wednesday. It has settled down now into low-level but steady violence, "without formal organization and without logistics, 85 percent stones," as the Israeli defense minister, Yitzhak Rabin, put it. It can't defeat the Israelis and the Israe-

lis can't stop it, short of massacre But it is changing attitudes. The Arab states and the PLO have had to react. Questions that Israel has deferred since the 1967 war have been sharpened. And the Palestinians in the terrorities have changed their habits of thought, with a new determination to decide their own fate

instead of waiting for others. Ibrahim Kareen, a Palestinian ournalist whose magazines have been shut down, says that "there have been thousands of achievements." The main one he calls "clarifying the clear." Outsiders were coming to take the occupation for granted and to talk about improving conditions. Now occupation is the focus, he says.

The Arab-Israeli conflict, Mr. Kareen says, "has been condensed to its natural size, the Palestinian-Israeli conflict." He tells of a new self-confidence that enables thought of compromise and acceptance of "international legitimacy" — that is, UN resolutions.
And in the same way, the intifada has "defined borders — you can see immedi-ately which side of the line you are on."

ATHENS — Scandal on top of scandal has Greece in a political

crisis which can only deepen between

now and the parliamentary elections which must be held next June at the

latest. The possibility of a military

coup is proposed; it is also discounted. There is unmistakable public

anxiety, and anger, at what politi-

cians have done. There is a sense of betrayal by the political class.

York-raised financier with an Ameri-

can police record, now held in Massa-

chusetts under extradition demand

from Greece, who briefly was the

most celebrated figure in Greek

banking and communications.
George Koskotas, 34, arrived in
Greece from the United States nine

years ago to take a minor job in the

Bank of Crete. Five years later he

controlled that bank, and soon after

he was buying major newspapers, football teams, launching a USA To-

day-type daily newspaper and a

now turns out, by the uncomplicated method of spending his bank's deposi-

tors' money. He is accused, up to now,

As the Koskotas newspapers sup-

ported the Papandreou government, and he himself was afforded unusual

opportunities to get away when the

scandal broke, the assumption is made

that leading Socialists are implicated

in his affair. As time goes on, however,

and revelation follows revelation, it

seems that Mr. Koskotas was not un-

generously partisan, and that others

than Socialists are implicated, too.

Another scandal, of course, is that

of misusing \$300 million.

casting company, all of this, as it

One of the scandals involves a New

By Flora Lewis

The Palestinians are hunkering down for the long haul. For the moment, the Israelis are too busy squabbling and haggling over a new govern-ment to think much about it. But the future in a disputed land remains the central and ever more divisive issue for them. They, too, have to go back to thinking about what has come mistily to be called "the peace process." They, too, ask, "What will the U.S. do?"

Talk is burgeoning again about elections in the occupied territories, because if there is going to be any shift from deadlocked violence to politics, it has to be through negotiation. And it takes at least two to palayer.

Two different kinds of elections are envisaged, for local authorities or for a representative committee of Palestinians to pave the way for a conference. Some Israelis, and some Western diplomats, prefer the idea of local elections, but for different reasons.

The Israelis say that mayors and nunicipal authorities could be given rights of local self-government, with-out necessarily involving the PLO. Troops could be withdrawn from those areas, tensions eased and the way opened to broader talks. The ats point out that once power has been devolved, it will grow and a group capable of representing Palesisns will emerge. Mr. Rabin has another approach:

elections to a negotiating commit-tee. Elections were provided for in the Camp David treaty, but only after an interim agreement - never achieved. Now they would not only come first, but in his scenario Israel would not ask the political position of candidates; no one in the territories would be barred, but no one from outside could vote.

This is against the current posi-tion of the PLO, which insists that

all Palestinians anywhere in the world should have the right to vote, and that the PLO is the only legitimate representative for negotia-tions. But if the PLO should decide to endorse election in the territories as the way to start talks, its sympathizers would certainly win. It would probably take direct

American contacts with the PLO to make this first step possible. Without PLO approval, the elections would not produce valid negotiators. Their election would mean a kind of breakthrough, getting around Israeli determination not to deal directly with the PLO.

Everybody has reservations, but the idea has enough interest to be worth support. It is because Israel's leaders realize that they cannot just let things keep deteriorating that they are trying again for a major party coalition. The United States should be ready to push.

# And Then Abbas Said Something Else

chist. The makers of the coup were right-wing radicals. Moreover, their

comp proved no success. It left Greece

worse off than before. It is not evident

that there are equivalent radicals in today's Greek army, or that the army as a whole would again go along with a move against an elected government. But this situation is bad for the

country and subversive of democracy.

mainstream politics. The record of his

government until now has made it

reasonable to look to a future alternat-

ing between a big conservative party, New Democracy, and a big democrat-ic socialist movement, PASOK.

It should not be forgotten that 40 years ago there was a bitter civil war

in Greece. The Communists, who had been prominent in the wartime resis-

tance, set up "liberated territory" in

Macedonia, in the north, in the fall of

1946, and their war with the monar-

chist government went on for more

than three years. It ended only after

Tito broke with Stalin and closed the

Greek-Yugoslav border, where much

was passing. Greece's crisis provoked

the Truman doctrine of U.S. military

assistance to Europe in March 1947,

it did during the years of the colonels' rule. The triumph of contemporary

Greek democracy is that those griev-

ances now find expression and redress

in the open political process. The last

The left had real grievances then, as

before there was a NATO.

of the Communists' arms and materiel

Mr. Papandreou has done somethi very important. He brought the alien-ated and persecuted left back into

N EW YORK — If any one factor led Secretary of State George Shultz to deny a visa to Yasser Arafat, we have learned from news reports that it was Mr. Shultz's outrage over remarks made by Abu Abbas at the recent session of the Palestine National Council in Algiers. Mr. Abbas, a member of the PLO executive committee, masterminded the 1985 hijacking of the cruise ship Achille Lauro, during which an elderly American tourist, Leon Klinghoffer, was murdered.

Pressed as to how Mr. Klinghoffer ended up dead in the Mediterranean, Mr. Abbas grinned and replied, "Maybe he was trying to swim for it."

As the reporter whose question elicited that infamous response, I share fully Mr. Shultz's shock and revulsion. Indeed, my immediate reaction to Mr. Abbas's wide smile and casual celebration of the murder was to recall Hannah Arendt's characterization of the clerk-like Adolf Eichmann

on trial in Jerusalem as epitomizing "the banality of evil."
Interestingly, however, Mr. Abbas followed up his
comment heard around the world with largely unreported
remarks which, while in no way justifying the Klinghoffer
murder, nevertheless reveal the Palestinians' sense of rage at what they see as an American double standard.

He asked thetorically: "Has Israel expressed regret about the ... Palestimians who were shot at Sabra and Chatila? Did America express regret about the victims of Grenada? I wish the names of our victims and martyrs were

of Andreas Papandreon's abandon-

ment of his American wife and the

aggressively public liaison with Dimi-tra Liani, 34, his companion during a

two-month stay in London earlier this

fall for triple heart bypass surgery. She accompanied him to last week's European Community summit in Rhodes, where he presided. Feeling in Greece

is that while it is impressive that a 69-

year-old with grave heart problems is up to all of this, Mr. Papandreon is

making not only himself but also the country look ridiculous.

new parliamentary elections? This is not sure. It is possible that his Panhel-

lenic Socialist Union, PASOK, will do

well enough to form a coalition gov-

emment in cooperation with smaller

parties of the left that are likely to

benefit from defections from PASOK.

It is the scenario of PASOK governing

in coalition with one or both of

Greece's Communist parties which

causes serious people to suggest that a military coup is possible.

Serious people also say no. Public opinion would be against it. The European Community admitted Greece in acknowledgment of restored democra-

cy. It would certainly expel or suspend

a Greece under a new military dicta-

torship - and Europe is extremely

important to Greeks today. The Unit-

ed States, which connived with the

colonels after 1967, is against a coup.

to be. The "colonels' coup" of 1967

was just that, not an army coup. The

army was conservative and monar-

Finally, the army isn't what it used

Will he lose if he leads his party into

Greek Lapses: Plutarch Would Not Be Surprised

By William Pfaff

10 Palestinians who died from Israeli gas, or 10 pregnant Palestinian women who were crushed and killed?" When Mr. Abbas posed his last question, I realized I did

not know the names of any Palestinians killed in the conflict with Israel - unless one counts Khalil al-Wazir (Abu Jihad), the PLO military chief assassinated last spring by commandos widely believed to have been Israelis. That Mr. Abbas's comments about the Palestinian

victims should have gone largely unreported in the American press confirms his point: The death of one American is more newsworthy than the deaths of many Palestinians. Mr. Abbas's unreported remarks were newsworthy because they reflected the burning resentment that is a factor preventing the PLO from fully meeting U.S. condi-

ledging that the Palestinian people are worthy of respect. By focusing so relentlessly on Abu Abbas's odious remark, we only strengthen those Palestinian groups which reject all compromise and are ready to fight to the death against Israel — even if it takes 100 years.

— Walter Ruby, New York correspondent of The Jerusalem Post and a group of American Jewish newspapers, writing in The New York Times.

as well known as the name of Klinghoffer. Can you name

tions for an opening of peace discussions.

While there is no question that the PLO must swallow 24 years of rejectionism and meet the conditions, the Americans and Israelis could ease the process greatly by acknow-

# In Tokyo, A Partner For Bush

By Hobart Rowen

N EW YORK — When Rousel kyo, despite economic success still played second fiddle to Washington Those days are over. America must now cope with a much more influential, assertive and confident Japan Japanese willingness to help fi-nance the U.S. budget deficit contrib

uted in no small part to George Bush's victory over Michael Dubakir Top Japanese officials, speaking privately, make plain that they are willing to take on more responding. ities in the global system, con rate with their economic cloud, pur-vided that Japan is accorded the respect. For example, a greater land, nese share of the money for the World Bank and the IMF mast te World Bank and the IMF must be accompanied by an equivalent in

crease in voting power.

In an altered relationship with the United States, Japan does not see itself as a new "number one" but a the senior American partner, sanding ing in tandem with the Bush administration. A leading Japanese commission official made these points:

The United States and Israen

would be "partners" developing " "
"common agenda." A free into
agreement would not be considered." realistic at this time, but there would be other joint efforts, including resilution of the Third World debt projlem; and in non-economic areas as well, such as space exploration. We will be cooperative and respectful if U.S. leadership, but we should begin to speak more clearly," he said. granted that we will follow the United States 100 percent in all cases." Japan resents American suggestions that it must undertake greater had den sharing," if not directly in mil-tary expenditures then in foreign sid. Japan is ready to fork over more official development aid money, but not necessarily to support American

geopolitical priorities.

• Japan is pressing Washington hard to get America's fiscal house in the order. "Your government must be ready to moderate domestic econom-

c growth," the official said. Resistance to further yen appreciation has the strong backing of key Japanese businessmen. Akio Monta of Sony told me that reliance on dollar depreciation is helping to destroy American industry. It's a pity to see how dependent American industry is on Japanese and other Asian countries for critical parts and components."

Yoshitoki Chino, chairman of the hnge Japanese investment firm of Daiwa Securities, said that if the dollar continues to decline, "interest rates will begin to climb, and we'll have another Black Monday."

Thoughtful Americans worry that if Japanese officials feel that insufficient progress is being made by the Bush administration on the budget deficit, they will "poll the plug," cortaining the flow of financial investments. The Takeshita government representative made no such threat. Mr. Morita and withdrawal of investment was unthinkable because the two economics

were now so heavily interlinked.

Still, the possibility of Japan playing hardball cannot be dismissed. In a recent presentation in Washington to the Institute for International Economics, Masaru Yoshitomi, a senior official in the Japanese government's Economic Planning Agency, raised the question in explicit terms: "Whether Japan as the largest credi-tor can and should use its position as leverage for imposing discipline on the debtor nation [the United States] is yet another difficult challenge."

It is clear that Japan is anxious to extend and increase its special relationship with the United States. Tokyo is grateful to James Baker, Mr. Bush's choice to be secretary of state, for helping Yasuhiro Nakasone ride out a political storm in 1986. Mr. Baker cashed some chips, persinding Japan to join other central banks in keeping the dollar relatively stable until the recent election was over.

Contrary to Japan's earlier fears. the high yen has proved beneficial, giving it the best of all worlds: an incentive to generate expansion at home, and the ability to pick up investment bargains abroad, especially in America. But Mr. Yoshitoza's "discipline" lurks in the background. The consensus I hear is that Japan feels thhat it would still do well at 100 yen to the dollar. But if the expects tion were that the dollar would plunge to 80 yea, informed sources say to "watch out." In that case, new Japanese investment might dry up-validating Mr. Chino's warning of serious stock market troubles.

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100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1888: France and Russia LONDON — The St. Petersburg cor-respondent of the Daily News tele-graphs: "It is commonly believed here that the Boulangists are receiving considerable material support ing considerable material support enemy foothold on Nicaraguan sul, from a Russian source. It seems to be and that no debt shall be contracted in true also that an arrangement has been concluded between the Boulan- aragua. The ratification of this treaty gists and the Russian Charrymists that Russophil manifestations shall be provoked on every possible occasion in France, and Francophil dem- 1938: Buck Wins Nobel onstrations in Russia.

seven years of PASOK government

have confirmed that achievement. It

would be tragedy to destroy it. But, as Plutarch observed of ancient

Greece, with few exceptions she

fought her battles against and to en-

slave herself." She was "brought to rum and desolation almost wholly by the

guilt and ambition of her great men."

1913: Nicaragua Treaty

WASHINGTON - Another advanced step has been taken by Presithe influence of the United States over Central America. He has told the members of the Senate Committee on Mexico he will expect them to take up the Nicaraguan treaty, with a view to from the United States.

its ratification. This treaty provides that Nicaragua shall not declare war without the consent of the United States, that no treaties shall be made by Nicaragna tending to destroy its independence or affording any foreign excess of the ordinary revenues of Nicwould, in effect, extend an American protectorate over Nicaragna.

LONDON -- Miss Pearl Buck, winner of this year's Nobel Prize for her novels depicting Chinese life, will regard the highest honor in modern hierature merely as an encouragement, not as an dent Woodrow Wilson in extending achievement, she revealed here today [Dec. 7]. She will receive an illuminate address and a medal from King Gustav of Sweden on Dec. 10. Miss Buck is the Foreign Relations that as soon as nor- first American woman to receive the mal conditions have been restored in prize Only Eugene O'Neill and Sinclair Lewis have preceded her as winners

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# Gulliver Is Upright and Armed

WASHINGTON — Non sequitures can be as illuminating as epigrams, and Vernon Walters, U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, offers a dandy in an interview in Life magazine. With Mikhail Gorbachev in our midst, Mr. Walters's Irangate was about \$31 million statement bears scrumy because it worth of arms that was supposed

is symptomatic of something worti-some; an epidemic of complacency. Life asked Mr. Walters: "Because nations have become so economically interdependent, aren't there powerful disincentives against war?" The answer began:

There is no moderation of Soviet military spending within the supposedly 'strapped' Soviet economy.

"Yes. War is going out of style. There hasn't been a successful war since we stopped the Communists from overrunning South Korea."

The last sentence is murky but certainly false. The Vietnam War was a success for North Vietnam, which won it. Mr. Walters's statement reflects American national solipsism: Nothing is real except American preoccupations. But even if it were true that

there had been no successful wars since Korea, that thought would not validate the first thought, about war going out of style. Con-sider the rest of the answer: By George F. Will

get a lot of people killed, and the economic cost of war is absolutely incredible. All the hurly-burly of to have been given to the Iranians. That amount would sustain an artillery bombardment for maybe 15 or 20 minutes."

Now that Communists know that events have refuted Marx, Americans, especially conserva-tives, are the last economic determinists. Imbued with commercial values and convinced that man is homo economicus — a rational, calculating creature - many Americans base foreign policy on one idea. It is the one falsified in 1914: the idea that commerce conduces to peace because economic self-inicrest governs human conduct.

Yes, war is expensive and nations do not undertake it to get people killed. But nations pay the price in treasure and death because economic considerations rarely are controlling. No nation goes to war with a gun in one hand and a calculator in the other.

Economic determinism is a soothing way of ascribing to the Soviets familiar motives that make them seem predictable, manipulable and moderate. In the 1970s, the days of detente and Soviet ad-venturism, the West hoped that economic forces would produce "Gulliverization." Trade and credits would bind down the Soviet Union with a thousand little "Nations don't go to war just to threads, cumulatively immobilizing

#### Whatever Became of the Cold War?

ARGARET Thatcher has said that the Cold War is over. In fact, it has been a long time since much anti-Soviet rhetoric came from Washington, or much anti-American language from Moscow.

Last Sunday, at least two Soviet spokesmen who appeared on American television were asked if the Cold War was over, and they both and the Adiabates. endorsed the obitnary; one even indicated that if it wasn't over, his government would "kill it." The war may or may not be over, but for the time being at least its generals seem to have gone home.

What are we talking about here? For years the Cold War was sold as a war of ideas: freedom vs. totalitarianism. Is that the ground on which the matter has been settled? It was a war with prisoners: The United States once automatically held in high esteem all dissidents, religious and intellectual, caught behind the Iron Curtain — or, more recently, within

intellectual, caught behind the Iron Curtain — or, more recently, wanted to get Amenca's facility to the Evil Empire. Does such language retain any meaning?

No one used this language during the recent presidential campaign, and such campaigns are a jection of what political language is alive and what is not. Cold War language has lately lost its emotional content.

At its height, it was almost entirely a vocabulary of fear. That vocabulary carried within it serious Western ideas about freedom, but its political and what is carried within it serious Western ideas about freedom, but its political and the fear of expression was emotional, expressed in terms of missile gaps and the fear of Soviet expansion and subversion. It was a thetorical response to threat. Have the Soviets left the geostrategic stage? Is there no longer a Wall? an Iron Curtain? captive nations? Are the Soviets intrinsically different

today than they were when President Reagan delivered his Evil Empire remarks? If political language is any clue, it hardly matters to Americans. Under Mikhail Gorbachev, Western attention to the Soviet future is far more likely to be couched in economic than in military terms. And in economic terms, the Soviets are no threat.

In fact, if you wanted to chart the growth of a new language of hostility, or of fear, economies is a rich place to turn. "Competitiveness," a hot Washington word in recent years, and a popular one in the campaign, implied a tack of confidence in the U.S. future. Similarly, the "foreign investment" debate, especially about Japanese investment in American industry and real estate, reflects many of the same concerns.

A recent poll in Japan asked people who, in the event of another war, spected Japan to fight. The answer, overwhelmingly, was America.

it, as the Lilliputians did to Gulliver, In the late 1980s, the Soviet magazine New Times is calling glasnost and perestroika "marvelous keys to American hearts." This week they have been keys to the coffers of

American capitalism.

Today's theory, uncontaminated by an association with evidence, is that Mr. Gorbachev wants to move the Soviet economy away from militarism. But before he can build Trump Tower on the banks of the Moscow River (2 bdrms., river view, 10 million rubles), he needs Western help (money) lest the "conservatives" (they are the problem exercises). lem everywhere) overthrow him. And yet, 45 months into the Gor-bachev era there is this perfect continuity with the Brezhnev era: There is no moderation of military spending within the supposedly

strapped" Soviet economy.

Angelo Codevilla of the Hoover Institution, writing in Commen-tary, argues convincingly that the Soviet Union, judged not by rhetoric of intentions but by its military power relative to that of the United States, "is as much of a threat as says, is guilty of solipsism, in this sense: Many American arguments about what is happening in the Soviet Union are actually not about events there. The arguments are attempts to vindicate various Ameri-

can policy preferences.

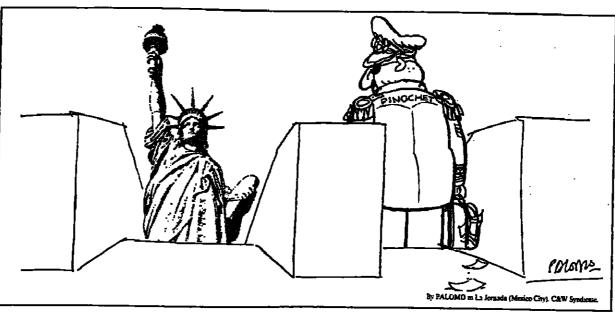
After "eight years of near total administration confusion about ICBM vulnerability" (the words of Brent Scowcroft, soon to be George Bush's national security adviser), the situation is as Mr. Codevilla describes it. In the last decade, the Soviets have moved from approxi-mately two ICBM warheads for each U.S. target (missile silos, bomber bases, submarine ports, command and control centers) to approximately three warheads per target. A decade ago, the Carter administration thought America needed 200 mobile MX missiles (2,000 warheads) to survive a first strike and threaten Soviet ICBMs held in reserve in fixed silos. Now the United States is down to 50 MXs, vulnerable in fixed locations, while the new

Soviet ICBMs are mobile. Suppose the argument that was made a thousand wars ago, even before the invention of guns, is true. Suppose war is so expensive that it is going out of style. Deter-rence, too, is expensive. And the alternative to deterrence need not be war. It can be politically decisive military superiority for one side. After nearly four years of Mik-

hail Gorbachev, the evidence is that the Soviet Union still seeks that advantage, expects the United States to subsidize its efforts, and will not be disappointed.

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#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Who's Who in the Jewish State

I appreciated the tone of M. Queyenne's response (Letters, Nov. 30) to my opinion article "What Kind of a State for Palestinians?" (Nov. 16), but it is not I who deal in half-truths. Israel is not a secular state: It was established as a Jewish state, and it has defined a Jew on religious grounds as the child of a Jewish mother, or a convert to Judaism. The recurrent acrimonious debate on "who is a

Jew" shows that this issue is far from resolved. It is correct, as the letter writer says, that Israeli citizens are identified as Jewish nationals or Arab nationals on their identification cards. Thus, in one sense, there is no such thing as an Israeli national. In 1972 the Supreme Court ruled against a petition by George Tamarin, a human rights activist. that his nationality identification be changed from Jewish to Israeli. Since, according to its fundamental laws. Israel is the "sovereign state of the Jewish people," it is hard to escape the conclusion that only Jews have full national rights in Israel.

The International Center for Peace in the

ling and alarming results" about the Arabs' second-class status in matters of daily life.

The writer points out that the Soviet Union applies ethnic distinctions on internal pass-ports. He asks, disingenuously, if I would conclude "that only ethnic Russians have Soviet nationality." I would be very surprised to learn that the Soviet Union had declared itself to be the sovereign state of the Russian peo-ple, although the Soviets have obvious ethnic problems that have to be tackled. In fact, the country that comes closest to being the state of all its citizens, irrespective of their ethnic background, is, much as I deplore its Middle East policy, the United States of America.

NADIA HIJAR.

#### Cooling the Greenhouse

Regarding the report "Now, a 'Meltdown-Proof Reactor" (Science, Nov. 17):

William J. Broad overlooks two points in his otherwise fascinating piece. Even if it were possible to rapidly replace

The International Center for Peace in the Middle East, an Israeli Jewish peace group, recently conducted a study funded by the Ford Foundation, which came up with "start-

come from the burning of fossil fuels in power plants. A more concrete way to address the greenhouse effect would be to use energy-efficient technologies, such as fluo-rescent lighting and combined-cycle power plants, and to put clear energy-use labeling on electrical appliances to promote ecologi-

cal choices by consumers. Second, super safe reactors still produce dangerous radioactive wastes. NIMBY, the 'not in my backyard' syndrome, means that nuclear waste will remain a problem.

DAVID LOWRY, European Proliferation Information

#### Center, London. Afraid of a Magazine?

In response to "Britain Blocks Delivery of Harper's Magazine" (Nov. 24):

Why does the British government have such an obsession with secrecy, unless from fear that politicians will be exposed as the rascals they are? Threats to a publication like Harper's are beneath contempt. If the magazine violates the law, then take it to court.

ERNEST BEDSOLE Palma de Mallorca, Spain.

# **Waiting Room** For a Beauty

By Phil Latham

T UFKIN, Texas - The woman who walked through the waiting room was fat. Grossly fat. Enormously fat. She swept up the attention of all those in

the office, although she didn't appear to notice. Perhaps she had learned to ignore such stares. She walked with a distinct lightness in her step, head up, eyes confident.

The two people sitting across the aisle from me showed particular interest. They

#### MEANWHILE

smiled as she walked in the door, followed her with their eyes as she crossed the room and giggled as she turned around and left Even after she was out of the building they looked at her through the window as if she were an exhibit in a menagerie.

They were Beautiful People, dressed in

tennis togs from The Club and ready to dine at nine. They were not fat.

They whispered as they talked about the girl, as if her fatness were a secret to be kept from her. So far as I could tell, their laugh-

ter was heard only by me. And it probably bothered me more than it would have the girl. She has probably heard the laughter of Beautiful People all of her life. Maybe she tosses it off with a shake of

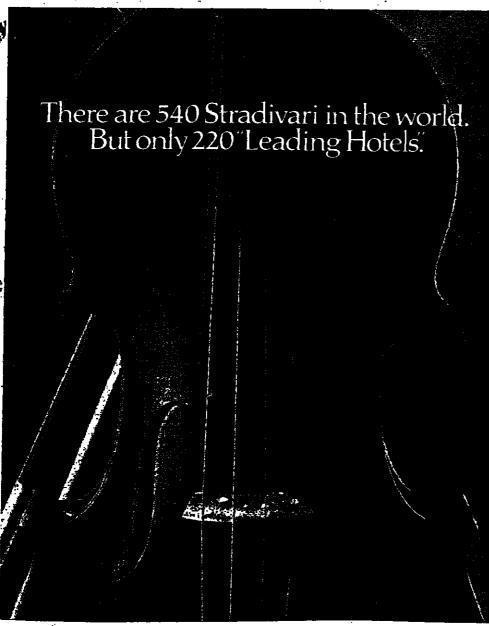
her head. Maybe it is more like a shudder. I couldn't help wondering when she relax-es. Beautiful People inhabit grocery stores and restaurants as well as doctors' waiting rooms. The opening of each door must begin

to sound like a screech of laughter. The girl is serving a life sentence in that fat body and probably can do little about it.
Still, everything must pass. I would like to believe that some day in another waiting room the Beautiful People and the girl will

meet again, stripped to the soul. It may not do any good, but she should know that at least in one moment of one day in her life someone saw through to the beau-

ty within and knows it is there. Beauty is not skin-deep but soul-deep, and sometimes never surfaces. Ugliness is something you just can't hide.

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constituaureen Dowd NOW ww York Times Service

ings: YORK — In the front Tv of the Citarella Fish store har Upper West Side of Manald, Fernando Lara was posifing seafood on a sheet of ice so t it looked like an American flag

1 a Soviet flag. For the U.S. flag, he fashioned tripes out of shrimp and bay scalops, and stars out of small octopus sprawled on their stomachs. For the Soviet flag, he used hundreds of shrimp for the red background and a cardboard hammer and sickle.

Norma Amigo checked out the display of gustatory glasnost as she walked past with a bag of Christ-mas wrapping paper. "I would go cross the street to meet him," she allowed about Mikhail S. Gorba-

As the Soviet president and his wife, Raisa, swept through New York, waving from their Zil limousine in a motorcade that was blocks long, the city was excited - in a sort of a blase way. New York is, after all, a town that prides itself on being the sort of place where anything can and does happen. So a Gorbachev look-alike shook

hands with Donald J. Trump, the developer, in front of Trump Tower. Mrs. Gorbachev decided she wanted to stop by Estée Lauder headquarters to check out American makeup. A KGB agent prowled the halls of Public School

All these uncommon events were taken in sophisticated stride by sophisticated New Yorkers.

"This is just a warm-up for New Year's Eve," said Vincent Sardi, the Times Square restaurateur. "It can't be more complicated than

"A few years ago, we had a fire in the kitchen," he recalled. "Smoke was pouring through the dining room and fully one-third of the people just kept eating. We've had blackouts and street explosious and people in this area just go with

Mr. Gorbachev is known for having an unpredictable streak. So when a man who looked just like him strolled past Tiffany's and began greeting shoppers with a Russian-sounding "Hi," hundreds of shoppers on Fifth Avenue crowded around eagerly.

This was, after all, the world

leader who suddenly jumped out of his limousine on a downtown corner in Washington last year to shake hands with surprised pass-

Hearing that Mr. Gorbachev was in front of Trump Tower, Mr. Trump rushed down from his office to see if the Communist leader had changed his mind about viewing quettes and the finest Russian cavicapitalist empire. Mr. Trump and his bodyguards surprise visit.

crowd and shook hands with a man who was a dead ringer for Mr. Gorbachev, right down to the distinctive mark on his scalp.

Soviet leader at all, but an actor nedy." named Ronald V. Knapp, the wintest. Mr. Knapp was meandering ing much attention to Mr. Gorba-around New York, from Fifth Ave-chev's visit because his clients for-

Thatcher Calls Cuts an 'Important Step'

cially since the pretender did not allude to the previous time the two had met and treated the deal-making mogul as a stranger.

At Public School 6 at 45 East 81st Street, everyone was bustling about to get ready for a visit by Mrs. Gorbachev on Thursday. A KGB agent was checking out the "Play-Lunch Room." A Secret Service agent was trying to make a diplomatic decision about which of his men should be assigned to Kindergarten 101 and which should go to Kindergarten 102.

Upstairs, the second graders in Joan Goldberg's class were taking a crash course in Soviet studies. They had already learned that the Soviet Union was not next to New Jersey, as some had thought, and that Mrs. Gorbachev would not want to talk about the sports cable network or video games with double dragons.

"If Mrs. Gorbachev were your mother - think of her as the Mom of Moscow — and you were all alone with her, what would you want to ask her?" Mrs. Goldberg asked the 20 wide-eyed children.

"I would ask her if she loves me better than my brother," replied Molly Karp, proving that some things are truly universal.

President Ronald Reagan and Ser-retary of State George P. Shultz. But as Mr. Shultz listened atten-In the kindergarten class that Mrs. Gorbachev will visit, the stutively in the audience, the Soviet dents were learning the words to 'It's a Small World" Adam Yokell has been chosen to

make a small speech to the Soviet first lady, who he thinks will be "sort of like tall and looking strong." As he munched on his fruit snack, the 5-year-old boy mused that unlike most of New York, which seems pretty bowled over, he is still a little skeptical about the "I would like to ask her, why do

Looking toward a Bush adminis-tration, Mr. Gorbachev said it you want to have war with the U.S.," he said. "I think they might would "find in us a partner who is ready - without long pauses or be trying to trick New York." backtracking - to continue the dialogue in a spirit of realism, open-Outside the Soviet mission on ness and goodwill."

East 67th Street, there waited a In this, he said, he envisioned the crowd of reporters, curiosity seek- following objectives: ers and publicity seekers. With the real Soviet leader safely a treaty to cut strategic offensive

tucked away inside, Mr. Knapp did arms by 50 percent while preservanother turn as Mr. Gorbachev in ing the Anti-Ballistic Missile Treafront of the mission. Tony Bowles, a messenger for A convention on the elimina-Mobile Messenger service, tried to tion of chemical weapons. He said deliver some letters to Mr. Gorbathat prerequisites existed "to make chev from The Nation magazine,

just kept aimlessly driving his bicycle around the area. "I'm not with the ayatollah or anything," he pleaded

but no one would let him in, so he

Places Russian were very fashionable. At Petrossian, a restaurant that offers mink-covered banthe Manhattan billionaire's lush ar, the managers were preparing just in case the Soviet leader made a

dent-elect George Bush. Russell, who was selling caviar in Wednesday was straightforward and official, lacking the "discover the boutique attached to the restaurant. "He comes as close to being America" quality that gave flair to the coverage of the Washington a moratorium of up to 100 years on an honest politician as the Ameri-As it turned out, it was not the cans have seen since John F. Ken-

In the Russian and Turkish Bath, ner of a Gorbachev look-alike con- David Shapiro said he was not paying much attention to Mr. Gorbanue to Bloomingdale's and the So- get about politics when they viet mission to the United Nations, entered the hot mists. 'It doesn't being filmed by television crews. matter if they're communist or arrival in New York highlighted a and he suggested creating an inter-Mr. Trump said that, once he got not," he said. "They all use the clevision report that contained only anecdotal glimpses of the city of t

# Arms and Troops, but Human Rights and Environment, Too The Associated Press

UNITED NATIONS, New York -The main sections from Mikhail S. Gorbachev's address at the United Nations on Wednesday, as translated by the Soviet

#### **Conventional Arms**

Today I can report to you that the Soviet Union has made a decision to reduce its armed forces.

Within the next two years their numerical strength will be reduced by 500,000 men. The numbers of conventional armaments will also be substantially reduced. This will be done unilaterally, without relation to the talks on the mandate of the Vienna meeting.

By agreement with our Warsaw Treaty allies, we have decided to withdraw by 1991 six tank divisions from East Germany, Czechoslovakia and Hungary, and to disband them.

Assault landing troops and several other formations and units will also be withdrawn from those countries. Soviet forces stationed in those coun-

tries will be reduced by 50,000 men and their armaments by 5,000 tanks. All Soviet divisions remaining, for the time being in the territory of our allies are being reorganized. Their structure

(Continued from page 1)

ton," paying particular tribute to

leader expressed "deep regret" at

the U.S. decision to deny a visa to

Yasser Arafat, chairman of the Pal-

estine Liberation Organization. An

address to the General Assembly

by Mr. Arafat has since been

moved from New York to Geneva.

later with Mr. Reagan and Vice

President George Bush, who takes

Consistent movement toward

1989 a decisive year".

Little of the U.S.

MOSCOW (NYT) - Soviet tele-

vision viewers got a complete broadcast on Wednesday of Mik-

hail S. Gorbachev's address to the

United Nations and reports of his

meetings in New York with Presi-

dent Ronald Reagan and Presi-

summit meeting a year ago.

But the programming on

On the second day of Mr. Gor-

bachev's visit, television coverage

was less extensive than the Soviet

Tuesday, Mr. Gorbachev's depar-

On Soviet TV

office as president on Jan 20.

Mr. Gorbachev met over lunch

TROOPS: Pledge for Reductions

after a major cutback of their tanks it will become clearly defensive. At the same time, we shall reduce the numerical strength of the armed forces and the numbers of armaments stationed in the European part of the U.S.S.R.

In total. Soviet armed forces in this part of our countries and in the territories of our European allies will be reduced by 10.000 tanks, 8,500 artillery systems and 800 combat aircraft.

#### **Afghanistan**

The Geneva accords, whose fundamental and practical significance has been praised throughout the world, provided a possibility for completing the process of settlement even before the end of this year. That did not happen. This unfortunate fact reminds us again

of the political, legal and moral significance of the Roman maxim: Pacta ment servanda — treaties must be observed. I don't want to use this rostrum for recriminations against anyone. But it is our view that, within the competence of the United Nations, the General Assem-

could be supplemented by some specific

Negotiations on the reduction

Mr. Gorbachev also announced

that Moscow had decided to put its

controversial Krasnayarsk radar in

Eastern Siberia under the authority

of the Soviet Academy of Sciences

and was prepared to dismantle

Turning to his own country, where the speech was televised live,

Mr. Gorbachev launched into an

elaborate defense of perestroika,

the fundamental restructuring of

Soviet industry and institutions

that he launched after taking office

Mr. Gorbachev, who is embat-

tled on the home front with up-

heavals in the Transcaucasus and

recent political challenges to the

Kremlin from the Baltic states, said

that the Soviet leadership had real-

ized when it began that there would

be "mistakes, and also opposition,"

He renewed a pledge that his changes would be based on the rule

of law and, without giving details,

said that work on a series of new

Touching on a sore point in rela-

tions with the West, that of free emigration, he said that the prob-

lem was being dealt with "in a hu-

mane spirit." Again without giving details, he said that a change in

'secrecy rules," which have pre-

vented many people from emigrat-

ing on the grounds they had secret information, would "remove from

the agenda the problem of the so-

Mr. Gorbachev sought to paint a

picture of an integrated world in

which cooperation, not confronta-

tion, supplied the motive power, one in which the UN would play a

Calling foreign debt one of the

world's most serious problems, he

debt servicing by the least-devel-

oped countries and to write off

For other developing countries,

their debts entirely in some cases.

consider measures for limiting or

far greater and more diverse role.

called refuseniks."

laws was nearly complete.

as the transformation proceeded.

of conventional arms and armed

forces in Europe.

parts of it.

in March 1985.

bly resolution adopted last November

solution by the Afghans themselves of should be binding on all states. the question of a broad-based government the following should be underta-

 A complete cease-fire, effective everywhere as of Jan. 1, 1989, and the cessation of all offensive operations or shellings, with the opposing Afghan groups retaining, for the duration of negotiations, all territories under their con-

• Linked to that, stopping as of the same date any supplies of arms to all belligerents.

• For the period of establishing a broad-based government, as provided in the General Assembly resolution, sending to Kabul and other strategic centers of the country a contingent of United Nations peacekeeping forces.

#### **Human Kights** We intend to expand the Soviet

Union's participation in the United Na-tions and CSCE (Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe) human rights monitoring arrangements. We be-lieve that the jurisdiction of the International Court of Justice at The Hague as In the words of that resolution, for the regards the interpretation and implemen-

urgent achievement of a comprehensive tation of agreements on human rights

Over all, this is our credo: Political problems must be solved only by political means; human problems only in a hu-

#### **International Debt**

The Soviet Union is prepared to institute a lengthy moratorium of up to 100 years on debt servicing by the least-developed countries, and in quite a few cases to write off the debt altogether. As regards other developing countries,

we invite you to consider the following: · Limiting their official debt servicing

payments, depending on the economic performance of each of them or granting them a long period of deferral in the repayment of a major portion of their

 Supporting the appeal of the UN Conference on Trade and Development for reducing debts owed to commercial • Guaranteeing government support

for market arrangements to assist in Third World debt settlement, including the formation of a specialized international agency that would repurchase debts at a discount.

Mrs. Gorbachev and Mrs. Reagan briefly touching

bands in a gesture that appeared to put an end to

As they posed for pictures, Mrs. Bush asked Mrs. Gorbachev if she was tired after the 10-hour

Before she could answer, Mrs. Reagan said,

Mrs. Bush then asked, "Even after 10 hours in a

Mrs. Bush then said, diplomatically, "We all

Since Mrs. Reagan and Mrs. Gorbachev first

met in Geneva in 1985 there have been reports that

they privately disliked each other. Mrs. Reagan

said after hunch that "everything went fine." The

sentiment was echoed by other guests as they left.

At one point, Mrs. Gorbachev said she had a

message for Americans: "Our contacts with Amer-

icans are increasing, and at this very moment our

leaders are meeting again. We shall have peace. All

Manpower

Warsaw Pact

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Warsaw Pact

NATO 2,340,000

Soviet Force Cuts

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1,093,000 after cuts

22,218

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4,426

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27,430

after cuts

**Main Battle Tanks** 

**Combat Aircraft** 

Warsaw Pact

plane?" and Mrs. Reagan again responded for Mrs. Gorbachev, "She never looks tired."

reports of a coolness between them.

flight from Moscow to New York.

'She is never tired."

#### Space Exploration

in the general area of space exploration, the outlines of a future space industry are becoming increasingly clear.

The position of the Soviet Union is well known: Activities in outer space must rule out the appearance of weapons

there. Here again, there has to be a legal

base. The groundwork for it - the provi-

sions of the 1967 treaty and other agreements — is already in place. However, there is already a strongly felt need to develop an all-embracing regime for peaceful work in outer space.
The verification of compliance with that regime would be entrasted to a world space organization.

#### The Environment

Let us also think about setting up with-in the framework of the United Nations a center for emergency environmental assistance. Its function would be promptly to send international groups of experts to areas with badly deteriorating caviron-The Soviet Union is also ready to co-

operate in establishing an international space laboratory or manned orbital station designed exclusively for monitoring the state of the environment.

# **REAGAN:**

ing after the luncheon that the talks were warm in tone.

talk about such things as the poli-tics of change," he said. The announcement of the troop

consider the initiative. Mr. Shultz said. "Obviously

carefully in the United States and in NATO and figure out how to position ourselves in the coming arms talks." He was referring to upcoming negotiations on troop reductions in Europe.

Mr. Bush told reporters as he

arrived for the luncheon that he knew "very little" about Mr. Gorbachev's overture.

seemed at pains to smooth ruffled feathers with assurances this was indeed a unilateral Soviet move.

tended the start of the meeting.

His reassurances during the more than two hours of private talks and lunch appeared to have had the desired effect.

had proceeded.
Mr. Gorbachev returned to

oud day of Mr. Gorbachev's three-

were being entertained at a lmicheon in Manhattan sponsored by the wife of the secretary-general of the United Nations, Javier Perez de The lunch on Governors Island began with chicken consommé fol-

Nearly 7,000 New York police men augmented Secret Service and Soviet KGB bodyguards in provid-

ing protection for the Gorbachers and their 45-car motorcade.

A group of several hundred str-dents and teachers from Yeshiva University gathered across the street from the United Nations to

waved their national flag and chanted "One two three four, open up the iron door," More than 100 Armenian Anici-

1.00

# Initiative Hailed

There was an intermingling of substantive and cordial informal

withdrawal at first put Mr. Reagan Mr. Bush and other U.S. official on the defensive, but by the end of the day the U.S. side had mapped out a noncommittal position to

we're going to sit and study this out

he told reporters who briefly at-Asked if he wanted comparable military cuts from the West in return, he replied: "I have explained that we are taking these cuts unilat-

"As for the entire range of problems such as disarmament, humanitarian issues and the economy, all these will be discussed with the United States and our Europe-

an partners."

"Read our smiles," Mr. Reagan said when asked how the session

go to Cuba The speech at the United Na-tions and the lunch with Mr. Bush

The three leaders dined in the Admirals House while their wives

were among those who held demonstrations as Mr. Gorbachev made his speech at the United Na-

they crossed security lines to pro-

demand freedom for Soviet Jews. East European émigrés also protested nearby. A group of Ukrain-

but its independence is favored by many Ukrainian emigres who live in the United States.

icans protested Mr. Gorbacher's handling of ethnic unrest in Azerbaijan and Armenia. Ara Captie-

#### isters who are meeting in Brussels posture in the Warsaw Pact, and they are worried that budget cuts later this week, and on their negoti- the steps outlined by Mr. Gorba- and Congressional pressures to By Craig R. Whitney the steps outlined by Mr. Gorba-chev appear to fulfill some of the make NATO shoulder more of the New York Times Service LONDON — Prime Minister ators working on an agreement for Margaret Thatcher "warmly welcomed" President Mikhail S. Gorcriteria set out by NATO. American defense burden could British officials have said that lead the United States to make bachev's announcement of unilatsome unilateral troop cuts of its

eral cuts in Soviet arms and forces on both sides. The proposal as outlined so far on Wednesday as "an important step towards securing a better bal- would require the Soviet bloc to ance of forces in Europe in view of make substantially greater cuts in the Soviets' present overwhelming tanks and troops than the ones Mr. Gorbachev announced, before any A statement issued by her office corresponding reductions in NATO forces were made. said that this was her first reaction,

and that she would want to study Mr. Gorbachev's speech in detail British officials said their gov-Mr. Gorbachev's speech in detail ernment would want to see where before he arrives next Monday for the biggest cuts would be made. an official visit. It will clearly en- and what kinds of forces they sure him a warm welcome. The op-position Labor Party leader, Neil Kinnock, described it as "a great announcement.

initiative" and called for a positive British defense officials have said they were looking for evidence The Soviet proposal will also ex- that Soviet forces are truly moving

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ert pressure on NATO foreign min- from an offensive to a defensive

armored divisions in East Germany and elsewhere in Eastern Europe. Gorbachev said that six of the Soviet tank divisions in East Germany, Czechoslovakia and Hungary would be withdrawn and disbanded by 1991, and that 50,000 men would leave. He also said the vithdrawals would include assault landing troops and assault crossing units, regarded as offensive threats by the NATO countries.

Senior British defense officials are also concerned, however, about the quality and numerical strength of the Eastern European forces themselves, and Mr. Gorbachev's speech apparently made no men-

tion of reducing those, But European diplomats say

own before the East-West negotiations, which could start as early as January, achieve any results.

leader's visit to Washington. On he said, he would be prepared to

ture from the Soviet Union and his deferring debt servicing payments,

only anecdotal glimpses of the city. chase debts at a discount.

Chinese diplomats stationed in London have said, however, that there is already evidence of preparation for a Soviet troop withdrawal from the Chinese-Soviet border. **■ Cautious NATO Welcome** NATO cautiously welcomed the "Christmas present" of imilateral arms cuts offered by Mr. Gorbachev on Wednesday, but individual

responses from European leaders A NATO spokesman in Brussels men over two years — could be said the move was "a step in the right direction" has the alliance reported from London. right direction" but the alliance cantly modifying the armed forces.

would be seeking bigger reductions at the negotiating table. al Manfred Worner welcomed any measure that may lead to long overdue reductions of overwhe Warsaw Pact superiority in con-

ventional forces in Europe.

The Norwegian defense minister, Johan Joergen Holst, said that it would put pressure on NATO to neighbors. start conventional arms talks. "I But the see it as a clear sign from the Soviets that they are willing to discuss najor reductions, and I welcome in Asia. This message was reinforced by the disclosure Wedneshat with great happiness, "he said.

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in Austria, Chancellor Franz
Vrantzky called the move "a courageous, constructive and farMongolia, Mr. Gorbachev will imSolution of Soviet troops in Eastern Europe.

In the talks, the West also hones

#### A Thaw Between First Ladies Marcela Pérez de Cuéllar, the wife of the United NEW YORK - Raisa Gorbachev appeared to Nations secretary-general. The luncheon appeared to go smoothly, with

make peace with Nancy Resgan and won admira-tion from usually indifferent New Yorkers on Wednesday as she broke from her schedule to cross a street and say hello to startled strangers.

Mrs. Gorbachev said she liked New York and

that she had not seen enough of the city that even she called the "Big Apple." She also gave an upbeat opinion on the state of U.S.-Soviet relations, telling reporters that things

that "we shall have peace after this." Mrs. Gorbachev made the prediction at the General Motors building, where she had gone to visit the headquarters of Estée Lauder Inc., a worldwide cosmetics company.

Mrs. Gorbachev arrived in a black Soviet limousine to applause from speciators and a few catcalls from demonstrators. She then made a surprise trip across the street to say hello to some New Yorkers. Steve DeBiaso, 27, who was among the onlookers, said, "It makes you feel so hopeful when you see something like this."

Earlier, Mrs. Gorbachev had lunch with Nancy Reagan; President-elect George Bush's wife, Barbara, and about 20 other women at the home of

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In comments relevant to Mr.

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**ASSESS:** A Gambit Offering Both Risks and Rewards expenditures, he is almost obliged to cut troop levels, since conven-

day, Mr. Khrushchev at that time of maintaining a large standing assed the Soviet military of at- army could not be measured in tempting to "intimidate" the purely financial terms. He said the civilian economy was In his memoirs, he advised his deprived of considerable talent and

he warned, the government would devote its best energies and best people to a fruitless military build-"Soldiers will be soldiers," Mr. Khrushchev wrote. "They always want a bigger and stronger army. They always insist on having the very latest weapons and on attain-ing quantitative as well as qualita-

Over the last year, leading Soviet newspapers have opened their pages to an unusually candid de-bate about the possibility of reducing compulsory military service from the present two-year term in program depends on the Kremlin's the army or three years in the navy.

According to Western military After almost four years in power, experts, the Soviet Union spends Mr. Gorbachev has yet to demonfrom 17 to 22 percent of its national income - double Western levels strate that his reforms will change - on the military. If Mr. Gorba- the lives of his fellow citizens sig-

# Stratetric Studies.

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Gorbachev's unilateral troop cuts will give new strength to sentiment in the West that he keeps his word. The reduction will also complicate efforts by Western leaders to

million, the total cut - 500,000 For example, observers said, army construction workers could be He said NATO Secretary-Gener- transformed into civilian work

Although Mr. Gorbachev said that the troop cuts moved the Soviet Union toward a defensive mili-Chancellor Helmut Kohl of tary posture, limited to "sufficient mentally alter the military balance Eastern Europe. between the Soviet Union and its

prove the atmosphere for the Chi- to lighten the weight of Soviet gar-

officer has gone on record opposing the idea of unilateral cuts," Mr. tional forces are much more expensive than nuclear forces. A senior aide to Mr. Gorbachev Gorbachev's political situation to-pointed out Tuesday that the cost

successors to be careful not "to energy because of the compulsory look at the world through the eye-conscription of young Soviets during the most productive years of

> Soviet economic growth has slumped dramatically over the last few years as the result of a slump in oil revenues, poor agricultural pro-duction and inefficient management. This has left the Kremlin's leaders with the choice of reducing military expenditure or cutting capital investments if they want to boost the civilian consumer econo-

In the view of many Soviet and Western analysts in Moscow, the fate of Mr. Gorbachev's reform ability to increase the living standards of ordinary people.

chev wants to reduce these military mificantly.

# MILITARY: NATO Will Seek Further Reduction

sive Western verification of com-pliance with the INF Treaty, Mr. maintain current levels of military

spending.
Given the size of the Soviet milishowed greater warmth, Reuters tary establishment, estimated at 5.1

na-Soviet summit meeting next year. And Japan can be expected to welcome a policy that will facilitate China's military build-down, which already is well under way. Western military thinking and

disarmament plans will be even more strongly affected by the cuts, particularly by the pullback from Eastern Europe. Although Mr. Gorbachev said that the Soviet cuts were indepen-dent of the conventional-force talks, the pattern of withdrawals responded to the thrust of the Western objective: the removal of the Warsaw Pact's ability to launch

a surprise ground attack in Europe. Specifically, Mr. Gorbachev said that the Soviet Union would mothball 10,000 tanks, 8,500 artillery weapons and 800 combat aircraft in the area affected in the talks, which cover Eastern Europe and the western districts of the Soviet Union. In addition, Mr. Gorbachev West Germany, greeted the announcement quickly and positive-ly.

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But the unilateral Soviet cuts represent only about a third of the But the offer was designed to total reductions in Soviet and War-Finland said: "I have been waiting Sergei F. Akhromeyev, Soviet chief not manpower, it is indicative of of staff, who had publicly pledged the scale of the Soviet presence that and hoping for this solution regarding conventional weapons. This is a be cut to pay for economic growth. Gorbachev will pull out only

risons in East European countries, where they could be used to subdue political unrest.

This aspect was avoided in the withdrawals announced by Mr. Gorbachev, who did not mention any cuts in the two Soviet divisions that are stationed in Poland. They are there nominally to protect comnications between the Soviet Union and East Germany but in practice to help ensure the loyalty of Polish troops.

#### N.Y. Makes Room For Another VIP

NEW YORK - New Yorkers

cleared the streets for President Mikhail S. Gorbachev on Wednesday, preventing the huge traffic jam city officials had feared. Motorists by the thousands apparently left their cars at home in favor of public transportation, averting "Gorby gridlock" before it could happen. City officials had said before the Soviet leader's visit that the closing

of major thoroughfares to give his motorcade quick and safe passage could create a jam that would cripple traffic movement in Manhattan. A beavy Wednesday matinee theater crowd, along with thousands of Christmas shoppers, had been expected to add to the prob-But Mr. Gorbachev's comings

Shultz said at an initial press brief.

Smiling and shaking hands warmly with the incoming and out-going U.S. leaders, Mr. Gorbachev

"It is an invitation to work together, not only to the United States but to all other countries,"

Manhattan for some sightseeing on Wednesday. On Thursday, he will

and Mr. Reagan came on the secday visit to New York.

lowed by filets of veal with smoked quail and lobster sansage, and ending with a chocolate tart with raspberry sauce. The wine was from Mr. Reagan's home state of Cal-

Jews, Afghans, Ukrainians, Et-tonians, Ethiopians and Armenians

The New York police said dozens of demonstrators were arrested outside the United Nations after

an emigres, many of them elderly, waved Ukrainian flags. The Uk-raine is part of the Soviet Union.

Members of an Estonian group

troops in Eastern Europe.

In the talks, the West also hopes to lighten the weight of Soviet gar
but Mr. Goroschev's comings want and Armenia. And capacity and goings in his first full day here lian, an organizer, urged the Soviets created few ripples, either for the to stop bloodshed in the region.

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By David E. Sanger Jok You Time: Service

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# **ASIAN TOPICS**

#### In China, a Legend Is Allowed to Fade

The legend of little Lei Feng. held up for some 25 years before China's masses as a shining example of revolutionary self-sacrifice, is being allowed to fade, Reuters reports. His memorial hall in Fushun in northeastern China was closed to the public this year "for renovations." Visits there had long since slowed to a According to his official biog-

raphy, seldom mentioned today, the orphaned peasant boy from Hunan Province was risking his life at the age of 9 to put up posters opposing the National-ists. After the revolution, he helped the elderly, put out fires, donated his savings to disaster relief funds and managed to join the army by standing on tiptoe in order to meet the minimum

height requirement. He quickly became a model army driver and champion hand-grenade thrower, acting as a "rust-proof screw in the revolutionary machine." He gave his own rations to hospitalized com-

Lei is said to have died in a truck accident in 1962, aged 22. After his diaries, recording his selfless life, were discovered, he became a national icon. Only cynics would wonder how photographers had so often been on hand to record his anonymous

Such heroes now appear to be out of favor. "There is no need to keep mentioning Lei Feng," said a recent letter to the China Daily. "He has already been considered

Hong Kong Tourism Setting New Records

Hong Kong will play host to even more tourists this year than last and officials say it will be a record, Coleen Geraghty reports. About as many tourists arrived through October this year as dur-ing all of 1987, a total of 4.5 million. The Hong Kong Tourist



TIME OUT IN TOKYO — Japanese businessmen relaxing in noise-proof, stereo-equipped capsoles at their club. Members pay a fee of about \$80 per month to get away from it all.

have reached 5.5 million by the end of the year.

A spokeswoman said the strength of other Asian currencies against the Hong Kong dollar, in addition to the relaxation of travel restrictions for Taiwanese, accounted for the increase.

The number of Taiwanese visitors, many of whom use Hong Kong as an entry point for China, has risen by 225 percent this year. Around Asia

Japan's booming economy has run headlong into the baby bust, according to U.S. News & World Report magazine. One employ-ment agency says 200,000 male college graduates can pick and choose from over 600,000 advertised openings. In the scramble for recruits, "some companies stop at nothing to keep students out of other companies' hands," said Yoshikazu Ishikawa, placety. Several travel agencies staged seminars for prospective recruits in Guam and California, not for the scenery but to keep employees far from the competition. All Nippon Airways apologized for ment director for Keio Universi-

scheduling a seminar to conflict with that of Japan Air Lines, its main rival, but only after Nikkeiren, the employers' federation,

India is planning to phase out the Soviet-designed MiG-21 jet fighter, the backbone of its air force for a generation, by 1992, according to New Delhi press reports quoting Air Chief Marshal S. K. Mehra, chief of air staff. India is developing its own light combat aircraft, or LCA. It recently bought 40 high-performance MiG-29s from the Soviet Union, but has diversified its sources of supply. It has bought 49 Mirage-2000 jet lighters from France as well as Harrier jets and Sea King helicopters from Brit-

North Korea, one of the world's most isolated countries, says none of its citizens have been found to be suffering from AIDS.

President Kim II Sung." North Korea permits only a few closely chaperoned foreigners to enter

Hong Kong's five-cent coins, already scarce, will be withdrawn from circulation Jan. I. A government spokeswoman said the nickel and brass coins would be melted down for use in minting new 10-, 20- and 50-cent coins. An estimated 114 million five-cent coins remain in circulation, but the government expects to recover only half that many. "Many have been lost, or taken out by tourists over the years," the spokeswoman said. Hong Kong's coins are manufactured by the Royal British Mint and shipped to Hong Kong. The coin was first circulated in 1866, and until 1935 it was made of pure silver.

Arthur Highee

#### ARAFAT: PLO Statement

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PLO has stated what the U.S. has demanded since 1975."

In the private sessions, according to the members of the American Jewish community, Mr. Arafat repeatedly stated that the Algiers document "abrogated and nullified" the PLO charter, the organization's strident declaration dating back to the 1960's, which effectively called for the destruction of the state of Israel.

The U.S. delegation also included Drora Kass, an executive director of the Center for Peace in the Middle East, and Menachem Rosensaft, who was born at Bergen-Belsen, a Nazi concentration camp, and is the founding chairman of the International Network of Children of Jewish Holocaust Survivors.

The two others in the delegation were Stanley Sheinbaum, an econo-mist and publisher, and Abraham L. Udovitch, professor of Middle Eastern history at Princeton Uni-

#### ■ Rejection by Israel

Joel Brinkley of The New York Times reported from Jerusalem:

Israeli leaders were dismissive of Mr. Arafat's statement in Stockholm on Tuesday. Foreign Minister Shimon Peres called Mr. Arafat's remarks apparently recognizing Israel's right to exist as a "cunning exercise in public relations." "What is really needed," Mr.

Peres said, "is an end to violence that is not a postulation in theory but a commitmeent in reality."

Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir said Mr. Arafat's "declaration doesn't add anything because the philosophy of the PLO hasn't changed — that is the destruction of Israel."

Mr. Peres said Mr. Arafat invalidated his recognition of Israel by framing his statement with the resolutions taken by the Palestine National Council. Among those resolutions were some recognizing United Nations resolutions that clearly do not accept Israel's right

# **Text of Statement on PLO Aims**

STOCKHOLM — Following is the text of the joint statement in Stockholm on Wednesday by a Palestinian delegation led by Yasser Arafat, and a group of five U.S. Jewish representatives:

The Palestinian National Council met in Algiers from Nov. 12 to 15, 1988, and announced the Declaration of Independence, which proclaimed the State of Palestine, and issued a Political Statement.

The following explanation was given by the representatives of the PLO of certain important points in the Palestinian Declaration of Independence and the Political Statement adopted by the PNC in Algiers.

Affirming the principle incorporated in those UN resolutions, which call for a two-state solution of Israel and Palestine, the PNC:

 Agreed to enter into peace negotiations at an international conference under the auspices of the UN with the participation of the permanent members of the Security Council and the PLO as the sole legitimate representative of the Palestinian people, on an equal footing with the other parties to the conflict;

such an international conference is to be held on the basis of UN resolutions 242 and 338 and the right of the Palestinian people to self-determination, without external interference, as provided in the UN Charter, including the right to an independent state, which conference should resolve the Palestinian problem in

all its aspects.

2. Established the independent state of Palestine and accepted the existence of Israel as a state in the

3. Declared its rejection and condemnation of terrorism in all its forms, including state terrorism.

4. Called for a solution to the Palestinian refugee problem in accordance with international law and practices and relevant UN resolutions (including right

of return or compensation).

The American personalities strongly supported and applauded the Palestinian Declaration of Independent dence and the Political Statement adopted in Algiers and felt there was no further impediment to a direct dialogue between the United States government and

#### THE BEST OF TASTE: MIX A BEEFEATER MARTINI Take Beefeater Gin and dry Vermouth in a proportion anywhere from 21 to 1 to 5 to 1 Pour into an ice cold mixing glass with ice, stir and then strain. Add a twist of lemon Cheers! For a recipe leaflet which further demonstrates the excellence and versatility of Beefeater Gin why not write to: James Burrough, Beefeater House. Montford Place, Kennington Lane, THE GIN OF ENGLAND London SE11 5DF, England

# Officials Report 'Many People' Dead As Quake Strikes Western Armenia

By Felicity Barringer New York Times Service

MOSCOW - A major earthquake took the lives of "many people" Wednesday, devastating a mountainous section of Western Armenia, Soviet government re-

The earthquake caused "serious destruction" to the cities of Leninakan and Kirovakan, and the towns of Spitak, Stepanavan and Gurgark, according to television re-

By Clyde Haberman

ROME - The Italian govern-

ment expressed unhappiness on Wednesday over Greece's an-

nouncement that it had broken an

extradition agreement with Italy and instead had deported a Pales-

tinian who was wanted here in con-

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on a Rome synagogue six years ago.

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suggesting a reluctance to create a direct confrontation.

The Foreign Ministry sum-

moned the Greek ambassador, Ni-

colais Athanassiou, and asked for "extensive clarification" of the de-

cision in Athens on Tuesday to allow the suspected terrorist, Abdel

Osama Zomar, to leave for "a

But the Italian reaction lacked

Of Suspect in Greece

The official news agency Tass higher than five floors had been said it was the worst quake in the "reduced to rubble." He said he had seen hospitals, schools and the Caucasus region in 80 years.

[The eyewitness, an Armenian nationalist named Ambartsoum Galastian, said by telephone from

the Abu Nidal group, left for Libya aboard a plane of Olympic Air-

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ways, Greece's national carrier.

[A man who witnessed the earth- building of the city's philology facquake devastation in Leninakan told Agence France-Presse that the earthquake had left "tens of thousands" dead, the agency reported sands" dead, the agency reported sands" dead, the agency reported ead a statement from Preside Mikhail S. Gorbachev, who is visit-

ing New York, saying, "I've been told that an unprecedented earthquake took place, which resulted in the Armenian capital of Yerevan tragic consequences and the death that all buildings in Leoinakan of many people. This has deeply affected all of us."

The earthquake, centered near the Soviet-Turkish border, killed at Italy Upset by Release least four persons and caused ex-

tensive damage in Eastern Turkey.
The U.S. Geological Survey in
Golden, Colorado, said the earthquake was centered south of the Georgian capital of Tiblisi and registered 6.9 on the Richter scale. A quake of that magnitude is capable of causing widespread, heavy dam-

rge.

The temblor, followed by a modmore strongly worded statement, the Justice Ministry said that the news of the Palestinian's release erate aftershock, struck a region in the Soviet Union already wracked by months of ethnic violence be-"was received with a certain sur-prise." It said that the justice ministween Armenians and Azerbai

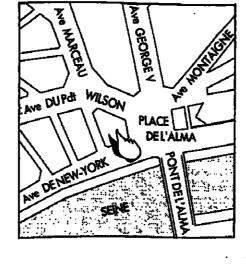
ter, Giugliano Vassalli, was waiting to hear Greece's explanation "with The Soviet television program showed film of high-rise apartment anxiety,' and that he "could not buildings sheared in two and twist-ed balconies perched atop piles of hide his agitation" over the Athens government's decision, given previ-ous commitments to extradite the rubble in the cities of Spitak and Kirovakan. It reported that "industrial enterprises, stores, trade and Mr. Zomar was wanted because service outlets, schools and kinderof his alleged role in a 1982 attack that killed a 2-year-old boy and gartens were destroyed."

Two governmental commissions were immediately established wounded 34 people as they left one by the Soviet government, one by the Politburo of the Communist holiday services at Rome's main synagogue. The Palestinian, 27, was arrested several weeks later at Party — to provide assistance to the area. Such Politburo commiscountry of his choice." According to a Greek police official, Mr. Zomar, who is believed to belong to sions are usually established only

# CONSTRUCTION BEGINS ONTHE PARSIBERTY FLAME MONUMENT

All the necessary approvals from the Paris city authorities having now been obtained, construction of the Paris Liberty Flame Monument has started and will continue through the winter. The inauguration will take place in the spring of 1989.

The Flame will stand on the southwest corner of the Place de l'Alma, at the very beginning of the Avenue de New York (see map) —an excellent central location which means that this monu-



ment to Franco-American friendship will be seen every day by thousands of Parisians and visitors to the city.

The Paris Liberty Flame is the exact duplicate of the golden flame atop the outstretched arm of the Statue of Liberty in New York harbor. It was crafted in the United States by Les Métalliers Champenois, the same group of French artists who worked on the rehabilitation of the New York statue in 1986 using the same molds they created for that project.

The monument perpetuates a tradition started over one hundred years ago, when over 100,000 French citizens contributed to the financing of the original Statue of Liberty. A few years later, a group of Americans then living in France gave as a gift to the French people the reduced-size replica of that Statue which today stands on the Ile aux Cygnes, just a mile downstream from the new Liberty Flame site.

Two years ago the International Herald Tribune decided to mark the conjunction of its centennial with that of the Statue of Liberty by sponsoring an international fund-raising appeal to bring the Liberty Flame to Paris. The appeal was

launched at a reception given by U.S. Ambassador to France, Joe M. Rodgers. on October 4th, 1986 and was concluded a year later with a glittering benefit evening at the Palace of Versailles.

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# Police Raid Chemical Firm in Osaka Over Sale of Banned Gas to Soviets

By David E. Sanger

New York Times Service

TOKYO — Japanese police searched the offices of a chemical company and the homes of its top ing that the company sold a gas to how the Soviets used the gas. Comthe Soviet Union that could be used pany officials insisted that the shipexecutives Wednesday after assertin the guidance systems of missiles.

The raid took place at the Osaka offices of Daikin Industries, one of Japan's largest manufacturers of commercial air conditioning systems and a major supplier of fluo-

In searching the offices and homes of executives, the police seized documents. No official

charges were placed. The action came hours after officials of Japan's Ministry of International Trade and Industry rethe Soviets 859 tons of an exceed- are used to manufacture high-techingly pure form of halon gas.

ment in missiles.

Japanese officials and Daikin executives said they did not know ments had been an accident.

"We know that the shipments occurred, but we don't know whether the Soviets used them for military purposes," an investigator for the Japanese government said. "It could have been an accident, but maybe not."

The Japanese government is particularly sensitive about such diversions since the Toshiba scandal last year, in which it was revealed that Toshiba Machine Company sent giant machine tools to a Soviet vealed that Daikin had shipped to shipyard, where many believe they nology submarine propellers.

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Eastern Europe, prohibits sales of pure forms of the gas because it can act as a coolant and stabilizing ele-Japan's third major violation in two years of the prohibitions or

> The English-language Daily Yo-miuri newspaper said Wednesday that the trade ministry acted quickly in the new case so that the investigation would not coincide with a visit to Japan by the Soviet foreign minister, Eduard A. Shevardnadze, that is scheduled to begin Dec. 19. Company officials admitted

Wednesday that they had shipped the gas to the Soviets, but said that it had been a mistake. "It was not an intentional violation of COCOM," said Noriyuki Inoue, a managing director of the firm, "but the result of a deficiency in the inspection system used by

our company,"

The president of Daikin, Minoru Yamada, said at a news conference

experiments have failed to settle a major controversy.

Terrace said. "Whether or not it can make the connec-

Critics contend that no experiment can demonstrate

object with the real thing. However persuasive the

evidence may seem. Dr. Wasserman acknowledged, "no

jects were shown from different perspectives, in altered lighting or settings and sometimes partially hidden.

mixed in random order and shown to pigeons. Ten images from each category were repeatedly flashed on the screen until the subjects had learned to classify

them correctly. The remaining slides were then pre-sented with no repetitions. If a pigeon pecked the key

corresponding to the correct category, it was reward-

rate of about 70 percent in this test. Since random

pecking at the keys would have yielded a score of about

25 percent, he regards the result as highly significant. "It's not just a matter of rote learning," he said.

Experiments of this kind, Dr. Wasserman believes,

may shed light on one of the principal debates in

behavioral psychology: whether animals, including pigeons and human beings, conceptualize categories

of things in terms of average "prototypes" or by reference to a huge file of similar stored images re-

"Our experiments have not settled the debate," he

In an interview at the cancer in-

more common among intravenous drug users, HTLV-1, for human T-

lymphotrophic virus, is best known

for causing leukemias that involve the T-cells, white blood cells that

are vital to the immune defense

Dr. Gallo said the virus has also

been linked to other cancers of the

blood-forming system and to some

non-cancerous failures of the im-

mune system. He said it is not

known how that virus causes disor-

ders of the nervous system.

said, "but I think the evidence is growing that the

ferred to as "exemplars."

HTLV-1 causes cancer in some pa-stitute in Bethesda, Maryland, Dr.

tients and appears to cause nerve Gallo applanded the decision. He disorders but not cancer in others. noted that the virus is becoming

of Dr. Herrnstein, who suggested that pigeons were richer a memory is in stored images the more capable better able to recognize categories for natural objects it is of distinguishing categories. I feel the exemplar rather than artificial ones. "The difference in our explanation is probably closest to the truth."

**Virus Tied to Nerve Diseases** 

potential threat to the blood not known, for example, why

In adults, the virus, HTLV-1, can Dr. Gallo said there may be subtle

cause leukemia, a cancer of the differences. If so, that fact could be

body's blood-forming system. It a clue to the nature of cancer and of

By Harold M. Schmeck Jr.

New York Times Service

VIRUS that is considered a new research, Dr. Gallo said. It is side."

In the virus is rare, testing vides a need and an opportunity for is recommended "to be on the safe new research, Dr. Gallo said. It is side."

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Viruses isolated from both types of

Last week the U.S. Food and

Drug Administration approved

kits to be used to test donated

blood for evidence of HTLV-1. The

FDA hopes to prevent the virus

from spreading through blood

transfusions. Dr. Frank E. Young the agency's commissioner, said

Dr. Wasserman said the birds achieved an accuracy

ed; otherwise, the next slide was presented.

In one test, 500 slides from each category were

to answer it '

By Malcolm W. Browne

New York Times Service

Y OWA CITY, Iowa — The humble pigeon, scarcely I noticed as it pecks a livelihood from its sidewalk

environment, may have more in common with human

In behavioral psychology experiments at the Uni-

versity of Iowa, Dr. Edward A. Wasserman and his

colleagues have turned up what he called surprising

evidence that "the conceptual abilities of pigeous are

The pigeon mind, moreover, probably offers impor-

tant clues as to how the human mind evolved and

functions, Dr. Wasserman said in an interview. "Dar-

win raised the possibility of a continuity in mental development from animals to human beings," he said.

In a series of experiments, the Iowa group is investigating the ability of pigeons to assign pictures of objects to such logical categories as "cats" or "anto-

mobiles." After being familiarized with the testing

apparatus, the pigeons respond to questions by peck-

ing at keys representing possible answers. A computer

controls and records all experiments, and when a

pigeon pecks a correct answer the bird is automatically

"Pigeons commit new images to memory at light-

ning speed," Dr. Wasserman said, "but the remark-

able thing is that they organize images of things into

the same logical categories that human beings use

Experiments devised by Dr. Wasserman, his former graduate student, Dr. Ramesh S. Bhatt, and others in

the Iowa group have built upon pigeon research begun in the 1960s by Dr. Richard J. Herrnstein of Harvard

University. Dr. Herrnstein and other investigators have shown that pigeons can distinguish between images that contain some type of object and images

that do not. Dr. Wasserman carried this discovery a

step further by showing that pigeons can distinguish among at least four categories of objects and, he said, "probably vastly more than that."

He also found no difference in a pigeon's ability to distinguish "natural" objects like flowers and artificial ones like chairs. In this, his finding differed from that

supply because it causes cancer in humans, may also be a cause of

serious nervous-system disorders,

was first linked to cancer in Japan

and was later found to cause lenke-

mia and a closely related form of

lymphoma in other parts of Asia,

Africa and the Caribbean basin. A

few cases have also been found in

But research suggests that the

virus may also cause paralytic dis-.

ease and some cases of a nerve

disorder, the symptoms of which are similar to those of multiple scle-

Dr. Robert C. Gallo of the Unit-

ed States's National Cancer Insti-

tute, who isolated and identified

the virus in 1980, said the new stud-

ies show it to be more widespread

and potentially important as a

cause of disease of the nervous sys-

HTLV-1 and the closely related

HTLV-2 belong to a class of virus-

es, called retroviruses, that include

HIV, the cause of AIDS, HTLV-2

has not yet been proved to cause

any known disease. HIV, the hu-

man immunodeficiency virus, has been intensely studied since it was identified as the cause of acquired

immune deficiency syndrome.

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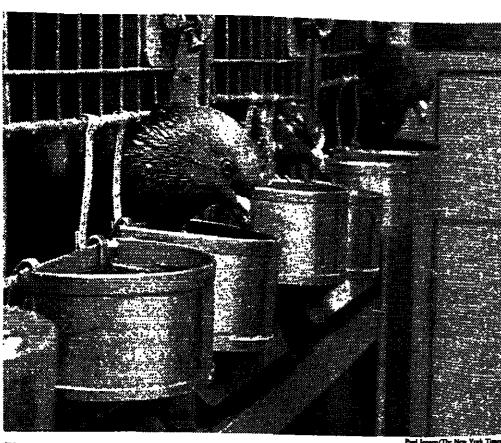
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"And it certainly looks as though he was right."

thinkers than is generally realized.

more advanced than hitherto suspected."



Pigeons were rewarded with pinch of grain when they distinguished between objects in photographs.

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#### IN BRIEF

#### **Evidence of Atmosphere on Pluto**

results is probably the result of some variation in experimental technique," Dr. Wasserman said. NEW YORK (NYT) — Observations of a star as it passed behind. Pluto, the outermost planet in the solar system, have confirmed that Dr. Herbert S. Tecrace, a psychologist at Columbia University who conducts conceptualization experiments with pigeons and chimpanzees, said all such despite its small size the planet has an atmosphere.

The observations were made in June with a one-meter telescope at the University of Tasmania. They were analyzed by scientists there and at the The big question is what the pigeon really sees when it Lunar and Planetary Laboratory of the University of Arizona. is presented with these two-dimensional images," Dr.

Astronomers at several sites in Tasmania, Australia, New Zealand and elsewhere in the South Pacific were in a position to watch the event, an: tion between an image and reality is a question that remains unanswered and not much work is being done occultation. As the star passed behind Pluto, the light from the gar gradually dimmed and then gradually returned. The gradual rather than sudden dimming led astronomers to conclude that the planet had an atmosphere whose thickness was comparable to the radius of the planer unequivocally that an animal associates the image of an

#### 250 Plants in U.S. Near Extinction

one can get inside a pigeon's head."

The four categories Wasserman's group used in the experiments, which were reported in the Journal of WASHINGTON (WP) - The blue and purple flowers of Penland's Experimental Psychology, were cats (or in some cases, beardtongue, the bright pink Peter's Mountain mallow and more than 250 other plants and their distincman beings), chairs, automobiles and flowers. Ob-

tive features may vanish from the United States within the next five years, according to a survey at the Smithsonian Institution. 'Of the estimated 25,000 species

and varieties of plants native to the United States, about 3,000, or 8 percent, are estimated to be in danger of extinction.

Three-quarters of those plants that are now on the verge of extinc-

tion are concentrated in four states, Hawaii, California, Texas and Florida, and in Puerto Rico. Among the 253 kinds of plants counted as nearest to extinction are such varied species as the Banara Vanderbiltii, a 30-foot tall tropical tree with vellow flowers and fleshy fruit, of which only six are left in Paerto Rico, and the Hedyotis parvula (shown here), a small shrub of the madder family that is known from a single specimen at the base of a cliff on the island of Oalm:

#### Tumor Growth Detected Sooner:

NEW YORK (NYT) - A computer-assisted way to look at brain ans is enabling researchers to determine whether tumors are changing

in size much sooner than was previously possible.

The method, developed by Dr. David N. Kennedy, a medical physicist. at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, uses a computer to delineate abnormalities inside the brain by analyzing magnetic resonance images. The computer homes in on differences in brightness in the image. and draws outlines of brain structures.

In general, Dr. Kennedy said, a tumor must change in volume by at least 30 percent before doctors can be certain that a change has taken place. The method allows doctors to be sure of changes when a tumor's volume has changed by only 10 percent.

## Younger People Getting Skin Cancer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Melanoma, a fatal type of skin cancer, it affecting more people at a younger age than ever before, and the trend may get worse if chemical pollution continues to leach natural ozone from the atmosphere, an expert says.

It is believed that melanoma, a skin cancer that will spread throughout

the body if not excised by surgery early, develops after 10 to 20 years of heavy or damaging exposure to ultraviolet rays of the sun. But Dr. Daniell S. Rigel, an assistant clinical professor of determatology at New York University Medical School, said a loss of ozone in the atmosphere "might be the explanation of why people are getting it younger and younger -

maybe. That has been brought up as a hypothesis."

Ozone is a gas present in the atmosphere that partially blocks ultraviolet solar rays from reaching the Earth's surface. Studies in recent years have shown that some types of chemical pollutants, principally the fluorocarbons that are used for refrigerants and solvents, destroy the atmospheric ozone, thus allowing more ultraviolet rays to reach Earth.



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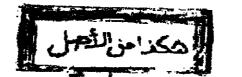
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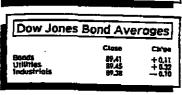
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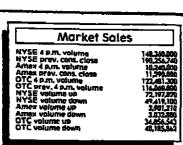
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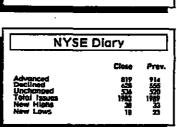


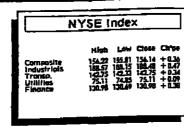
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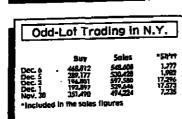
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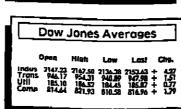


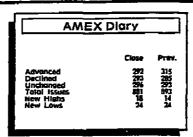


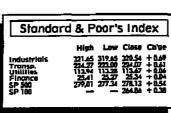


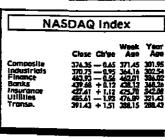


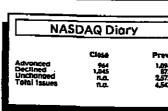












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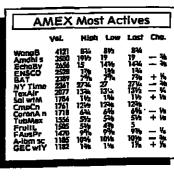
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# N.Y. Stocks Record Small Gain

NEW YORK - Prices were slightly higher in moderate trading on the New York Stock Ex-change on Wednesday as enthusiasm about the announcement of cutbacks in Soviet military levels was muted.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which rose 25.60 points on Tuesday, advanced 4.27 to close at 2,153.63. Advances led declines by a 9-7 margin. Vol-ume fell to 148.36 million shares from 158.34

million traded on Tuesday. Broad-market indexes also advanced. The New York Stock Exchange index rose 0.36 to 156.14. Standard & Poor's 500-stock index rose 0.54 to close at 278.13. The price of an average

share gained 8 cents. In his speech to the U.N. General Assembly late Wednesday morning, President Mikhail S. Gorbachev of the Soviet Union said Soviet troop levels would be cut by 500,000 men over the next two years and tank divisions and other weapons would be reduced.

Stock market analysts said investors had been speculating on whether Mr. Gorbachev would announce the cutbacks after Dutch media reports Tuesday said he planned to offer a reduction in conventional forces while in New York. The reports spurred financial markets sharply higher on Tuesday, and some of the excitement toward the announcement spilled

over into early trading Wednesday.

The consensus on Wall Street, according to Gail Dudack, a market analyst with S.G. Warburg, was that "a reduction in Soviet troops would reduce pressure on the United States' defense budget.'

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But enthusiasm waned by the time Mr. Goz-bachev made the announcement, as the market began to pull back to a narrow gain.

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Long Island Lighting was the most active issue, off ¼ to 12. A jury Monday found the utility guilty of violating a racketeering statute, opening the door to a class-action suit that could involve almost \$2 billion in damages.

Texaco followed, up 21/2 to 51. Rumors surfaced that Carl C. Icahn, chairman of Trans World Airlines Inc., might wage another battle for control of Texaco following his defeat this spring.
Traders said most of the Texaco buying was

done through Bear, Stearns & Co., Reuters reported. Some said the firm had purchased two million shares by early afternoon. Mr. Icahn, who earlier this week said he would not sell his 14.8 percent stake in the company and may buy more, has been rumored to have a partner with whom he would make a new bid for Texaco. Interco was the third-most active issue, up 1% to 31%, amid reports of arbitrage trading caused by the distribution of Interco's special divi-

dends of cash and securities. AT&T rose 1/4 to 291/4. IBM fell 11/4 to 1201/4. Prices closed slightly higher in moderate trad-ag on the American Stock Exchange. The American Stock Exchange index rose 0.41 to 297.77, and the price of an average share gained 2 cents. Advances and declines were virtually equal, and volume fell to 10.24 million

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Treasury-Bill Auctions

Agence France-Presse

KATHMANDU—Nepal has adopted a new policy of selling treasury bills at monthly anotions in a bid to mobilize its capital market and help finance the budget deficit, a Finance Ministry official said Wednesday.

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Nepal began issuing 90-day treasury hills carrying a tax-free interest rate of 5 percent in 1972,
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The Associated Press LONDON — Hanson PLC said Wednesday that pretax profit for the year ended Sept. 39 rose 18.8 percent, to £880 million (\$1.6 billion) from £741 million.

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The British conglomerate said after-tax profit jumped 18.2 percent to £676 million, compared with £572 million a year earlier. Earnings per share rose to 15.9 pence from 14 pence.

Hanson said net profit for the year was £1.12 billion after an extraordinary gain of £445 million from the sale of certain businesses. There were no extraordinary items in the year earlier period. Revenue rose 10.8 percent, to £7.40 billion from £6.68 billion.

The company has been in the spotlight since last month, when it amnounced plans to increase its borrowing powers to £11 billion from £6.5 billion previously. The move triggered speculation that Hanson was once again on the tant of a major acquisition.

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"When we judge the time to be right we shall pursue growth by acquisition," said the charman, Lord Hanson. He said the company had £3.8 billion in cash at the end of the facal year, which exceeded its debt by more than £1 billion.

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## INTERNATIONAL MANAGER

## **European Schools Argue Bachelors Are Attractive**

By SHERRY BUCHANAN

ONDON -- The Jesuits, known for centuries as the preeminent educators of the Roman Catholic Church, are running a business college in Madrid that offers not only the normal postgraduate degree program but also accepts high school graduates with a view to turning this younger flock into true Enromanagers: multilingual, sensitive to cultural contrasts and knowledgeable about different national markets and ways of doing business.

At a time when many companies throughout Europe are wondering where they will find their future managers, the Instituto Catolico de Administracion y Direcion de Empresas

(ICADE) at the Universidad Pontificia Comillas in Madrid was the first institution in Spain to offer an undergraduate degree in European business studies in 1986. The university also offers one of Spain's leading master's of business administration pro-

'Our students upset the apple cart far less than MBAs,' one business school official said.

Some schools argue that their bachelor's of business administration graduates are not as expensive, greedy or pushy as the stereotypical MBA yet have similar skills although far less work experience. "Some employers complain about MBAs coming to run the

company the minute they arrive," said Jason Drew of the European Business School's London branch. "Our students upset the apple cart far less than MBAs." Daniel Agromayor Pereda, 19, an ICADE undergraduate who

is spending his junior year abroad at Middlesex Business School Polytechnic in London, said, "I was going to study just business but this program was really different from what we are used to. You have to adapt to various countries, customs and languages."

ICADE joins a growing number of European institutions that are targeting high school graduates to be future Euromanagers rather than the 27-to-35 age group in MBA programs.

In most such courses, students are taught European studies

along with marketing, accounting and finance. They must be bilingual or trilingual and must study and work abroad for one or two years of the four-year programs.

TEORGINA SWIFT, 24, a graduate of the European Business School's London branch, for instance, is trilingual in English, French and German. She did summer internships at Banque Nationale de Paris in London, Beecham Group PLC in France, Digital Equipment Corp. in London, GZS (Eurocard and Eurocheck) in Frankfurt, Tampella Ltd., a paper company in Helsinki, and Yves Rocher GmbH in Germany. She is now international marketing assistant for MSL International (U.K.) Ltd., the recruiting firm in London, earning £13,500 (\$25,200) plus bonus. She is helping the company devise a European strategy for 1992.

MB Group PLC, the British packager waiting for a European Commission decision on its proposed merger with Group Carnaud, the French packaging concern, anticipates hiring more graduates from European business studies programs if the deal

MB's graduate development manager, Peter Mckenzie-Smith, said, "We want to make the merged company not British or French but truly European. The whole question is how to grow genuinely European managers."

Students said they are constantly adjusting to cultural differences. "Under the German system, you just read what is assigned and take the exam," said Barbara Reuter, a senior from the Fachhochschule für Technik und Wirtschaft, in Reutlingen. "In the U.K. system, you wouldn't survive just doing that." She is spending the year at Middleser Business School in London

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#### MAN IN THE NEWS

# Boskin, Father of Flexible Freeze and Now CEA

By Peter T. Kilborn

New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — Michael Jay Boskin, the respected, eclectic conservative scholar who has been named George Bush's chief economic adviser, has written gently but critically of the Reagan administration's economic policies.

But it is likely that the 43-year-old professor at Stanford University will be a team player as chairman of Mr. Bush's Council of Economic Advisers.

Mr. Boskin worked closely during the campaign with leaders of the incoming administration, including Mr. Bush, Treasury Secretary Nicholas F. Brady and the future budget director, Richard G. Dar-

He won their admiration with the politi cally clever proposal of a "flexible freeze" of the budget, which became a Bush theme. "My basic feeling," he said in an inter-view a few days ago, "is that I have had a long enough, serious enough interaction with these people to know they want high-quality, serious economic advice. But I do not think it is the role of the adviser to go public about a disagreement with a decision the president makes. It's the president who got elected, not me."

He made no reference to previous economic advisers, but the implication was

President Ronald Reagan's second chief economist, Martin S. Feldstein, who is now back at Harvard, made speeches taking issue with various White House policies.

Mr. Boskin, fellow academies say, would go along as far as he could with policies he questioned. And rather than make a speech if faced with an untenable conflict, they say

Mr. Boskin, born in New York City, anended the University of California at Berkeley during the turbulent 1960s. He also did graduate work there.

Stanford praises him in particular for establishing a business-funded research center, at which students of economics, business and engineering study issues of common interest.

Mr. Boskin, known for economic work in public finance and Social Security, has urged the adoption of multiyear budgets, a proposition that appeals to Mr. Bush.

Some years ago, he sought to show that people would save more if their taxes were cut, but other economists found they could not substantiate his research.

He has also encountered some skepticism over the "flexible freeze" proposal. He suggested that all government spend-ing, except Social Security, be held to the inflation rate. Spending for some programs could grow, but other spending would have to be reduced correspondingly.

Mr. Boskin said the economy's growth would generate enough new revenue to put the budget in balance within five years. Outside the Bush camp and the fraternity of supply-siders, economists doubt the proposition would work, said Moses Abra-

movitz, a past president of the American Economic Association. But Lawrence S. Summers, a Harvard University professor who was the top economist in Michael S. Dukakis's presidential

campaign and has collaborated with Mr. Boskin in earlier research, said he welcomed the appointment.

The stridency of George Bush's pre-and post-election rhetoric has created con-See BOSKIN, Page 15



Michael Boskin's spending proposal has met skepticism.

# Clowes **Scandal** Widens

#### Financier, 2 More Face New Charges

LONDON - The British financier Peter Clowes, whose Barlow Clowes investment group collapsed last May, was charged Wednesday with theft and conspiracy to steal more than £22.5 million (\$41.6 mil-

The police Serious Fraud Office said Mr. Clowes was charged together with two business associates, Peter Naylor and Christopher Newman, who were arrested at their homes early Wednesday.

Mr. Clowes, who was charged last June with perverting the course of justice, faced 16 new charges nding false accounting. Mr. Naylor and Mr. Newman were each jointly accused with Mr. Clowes on four theft charges and one conspiracy charge.

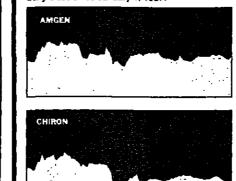
The collapse of Barlow Clowes, many of whose clients were retired persons who had invested their savings, triggered criticism of the govrnment for licensing the firm's funds despite warnings from the Bank of England and the stock ex-

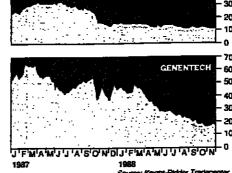
The trade and industry secretary, Lord Young, ordered an inquiry into his ministry's handling of the case but resisted calls for the government to compensate investors.

Mr. Clowes, who was arrested in June and released on £300,000 bail, came in voluntarily Wednesday for questioning by detectives. He will appear with Mr. Naylor and Mr. Newman, who were remanded in custody, in a court on Thursday. Barlow Clowes investment funds

in Britain and Gibraltar were closed with an estimated £190 million owed to investors. The 7,000 investors in the British fund may recover most of their £52 million. But the 11,000 clients of the Gibraltar fund may regain only one-third of the £138 million owed them.

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# Biotech Suffering Cash Deficiency The Market Collapse Hurt Prospects at a Critical Phase

By Lawrence M. Fisher New York Times Service
SAN FRANCISCO -- After

investing billions of dollars and dreaming for years about creating products that would change daily life, the biotechnology industry is running out of cash. Industry experts say that in-

vestors, who once seemed to have limitless pockets, have stopped putting up money at a critical time, when many biotechnology companies are seeking badly needed cash to push research forward. The experts blame the stock

when biotechnology stocks plunged. Scaled-back sales projections of a widely publicized new drug have also soured inves-

In the last year, only two new biotechnology stock offerings were made, and neither was eagerly received. As a result of the cash short-

age, many biotech companies are cutting costs, abandoning research projects and focusing on products with the best chances of getting to market soon.

To obtain cash, an increasing number of biotech enterprises

tal markets closed, a period when the industry is going to have severe cash needs," said Peter Drake, vice president of Vector Securities in Chicago. He foresees near-term cutbacks in research and development to preserve cash, which will

mean a long-term loss of competitiveness worldwide. No one is ready to write the nascent industry's obituary, but some analysts believe the belttightening and the short-term fo-

cus of investors could cede industry leadership to foreign In Japan, the ministry of trade

has identified biotechnology as a major area of concentration for the 1990s. The government has fostered the industry by offering tax incentives and seed capital and permitting consortiums.

The American industry's woes cals companies, a sign that the were highlighted in recent weeks young concerns will not supplant when the premier biotechnology company, Genentech Inc., re-ported lower sales than expected The fund shortage is also likely to create a wave of mergers for its most promising drug, Ac-tivase, which dissolves blood among the biotech companies themselves and spor acquisitions clots and can stop a heart attack by large companies and foreign A year ago, as the drug was

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# **Dollar Surges After Gorbachev** Defense Speech

for a month.

NEW YORK - The dollar soared Wednesday, gaining more than two pfennig against the Deutsche mark and almost two yen, in response to the Soviet Union's

plans to reduce its troops and cut

conventional arms. In a speech to the United Na-tions, Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the Soviet leader, said the Soviet Union would trim its armed forces by 500,000 over two years and would withdraw and disband by 1991 six tank divisions from East Germany, Czechoslovakia and Hungary.

The currency market reasoned that Soviet reductions would open the door to military retrenchments by the United States, which would help pare its huge budget deficit. "Some people feel that this adds

more credence to George Bush's ability to cut the budget deficit," said Chuck Spence of First Interstate Bank in Los Angeles. The armed forces news had been

expected since Tuesday, but it sparked heavy short-covering, dealers said. The dollar shot up to 1.7608 DM at the close, from 1.7372 at Tuesday's close, after trading as high as 1.7730 DM. The dollar also jumped to 123.695 yen from 121.925 on Tues-

day, having reached a high of northy after Mr. bachev's announcement

U.S. Treasury bond prices, meanwhile, closed lower after declining in afternoon trading following sharp upward and downward movements in a volatile market.

The dollar had fallen in recent weeks because of worries about U.S. economic policy, particularly how the incoming administration of Mr. Bush plans to tackle the

budget deficit.
The U.S. currency firmed throughout European and early New York trading on advance word that Mr. Gorbachev would

announce troop reductions. After

declining from its highs the dollar

resumed a more gentle uptrend. It

year-end accounting purposes in any case. But they noted that the Gorbachev proposals gave an added incentive to dollar buyers. At the height of the dollar's rally,

Several currency dealers stressed

that the market needed dollars for

spreads between bid and offer quotes widened to 20 points or Despite the disorderly condi-tions, dealers said they did not de-

tect any intervention by the Federal Reserve to smoothe the rise. Some traders felt that the effect of Mr. Gorbachev's visit would not

last. "The market was oversold and was looking for an excuse to buy dollars," said a trader with American Security Bank.

Many dealers placed particular weight on remarks by President Ronald Reagan. Speaking just be-fore leaving the White House for New York, Mr. Reagan said that he welcomed reports that the Soviet Union was thinking of military

"We're pleased to hear that they're thinking in that term," he said. "We too have thought about it, and the idea of bringing conventional weapons down, achieving a symmetry between us, I think he another great

Against other major currencies. the dollar's rise depressed the British pound, which fell to \$1.8405 at the close from \$1.8605 at Tuesday's close. Sterling fell as low as \$1.8250

during early trading, dealers said. The dollar also rose to 1,4805 Swiss francs from 1.4568 at Tuesday's close and to 6.0105 French francs from 5.9360.

On the bond market, Treasury bond prices closed near their ses-sion lows as a move to higher ground was not sustained, traders

Action was extremely volatile, with prices gapping higher and See DOLLAR, Page 15

# Tokyo Stocks Soar Through 30,000

"witching hour" after the introduction of stock-index futures in Japan, sent the Nikkei average shooting through the 30,000-yen mark to

a fresh record. Today shows how the futures market can move the cash market," said Louis Tseng, vice president of international trading at Goldman Sachs (Japan) Corp. "I think trad-ers are a little shocked," he added. The witching hour occurs at the end of trading on the day when investors may close out spot con-

tracts before delivery. Some contract holders try to cut their losses or boost their profits by trading in the cash market to move the index closer to or further away from their futures positions.

There was heavy futures-related buying towards the close that triggered a 200-point rally in the Nikkei index, helping it surpass the 30,000 mark," said Mr. Tseng. Most analysts had expected the

225-share Nikkei average to rise to 30,000 points by the end of 1988; few had expected a 381.44 point rise to 30,050.82 in one day. The Nikkei-225 index futures contract on the Osaka Stock Ex-

change and the TOPIX contract on the Tokyo Stock Exchange were launched on Sept. 3. The surge Wednesday was due to several factors, brokers said. "The main reason for the sharp rise towards the close is that there

cash and futures markets," said one The strength of the U.S. stock and bond markets lent support to Tokyo, said Craig Chudler, a market strategist at the brokerage

was arbitrage activity between the

Smith New Court. The Dow Jones industrial average jumped 25.60 points to 2,149.36 on Tuesday, adding to Monday's 31.48-point rally. U.S. stocks, along with bonds,

were swept higher by talk that the

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches chev, would unilaterally propose to Some bought issues heavily TOKYO — A flurry of buy or- cut his country's overall troop lev- weighted in the more narrowly ders just before the close of trading els. Mr. Gorbachev made such a based Nikkei index in a bid to ma-Wednesday, marking the first ever statement at the United Nations on nipulate that average higher. Wednesday.

> Investors, eager for signs that the U.S. budget deficit will be reduced, responded quickly. Such a cut in troops, if matched by the United States, could point to sharply lower military outlays.

Brokers said that many Japanese investors liquidated their long December contracts and opened short March ones on Wednesday.

This caused a large spread between December, moving in parallel with the cash market, and the March contract, which rose in contango, a pricing situation in which futures prices rise as maturities lengthen.

This prompted arbitragers to take profits by buying in the cash market and selling March futures, brokers said. In the Nikkei contract, this contango was as wide as 500 points on Wednesday.

Some investors who liquidated long December positions used the March contracts, due to the contract's high price, and this helped push up the market, brokers said.

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The possibility of the futures market causing volatility in the cash market has worried some participants and kept many Japanese houses from engaging in arbitrage

activity.
"Next time people may have pre-pared themselves," said Mr. Tseng at Goldman. "This is the first time so it is new for everyone."

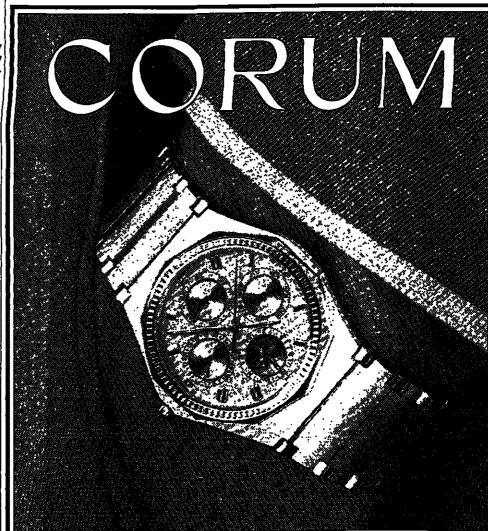
Three issues among those with the heaviest representation in the Nikkei index rose sharply: Sony gained 190 yen to 6,820 on volume of 3.7 million shares, three times Tuesday's level; Katakura Indus-tries rose 140 to 2,240 with 104,000 shares traded, up from 30,000 on Tuesday; and Matsuzakaya mped 550 to 6,000 on volume of

The Nikkei December contract ended up 210 at 30,000; March rose 120 to 30,290; and June was unchanged at 30,350.

The December TOPIX contract ended up 8 points at 2,310, while profits to buy stock rather than March 1989 finished the day 5 higher at 2,346. The index was up 18.96 to 2,314.20, a record high. (Reuters, AP, AFP)

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# What's in a Brand? U.K. Accountants Wonder

LONDON — Moves by British companies to value their product brand names in their balance sheets have caused concern and confusion among leading accounting firms in London.

Accountants say they are worried about valuing things they have never had to value before, with no rules to guide them.

The foods company Ranks Hovis McDougall PLC set the example last month by putting a value of £678 million (\$1.27 billion) on brands like Hovis and Mothers Pride bread, Mr Kipling cakes and Bisto gravy in its annual accounts.

And a number of other companies are considering similar moves, accountants say.

"We are now getting an explosion of all sorts of things, all sorts of assets in balance sheets we have never had before, said David Tweedie of Peat Marwick McLintock. "There are going to be valua-

Peter Holgate of Deloitte Haskins & Sells said, "A sizable number of largish companies are active-ly considering" valuing their

"You are only talking about cosmetics in a sense. The underlying economics," he said, "are un-

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As companies move to value brand names in their balance sheets, accounting firms are concerned about the lack of guidelines.

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balance sheet value. Ranks Hovis was the subject of a failed bid from Goodman Fielder Wattie Ltd., the Australia-based

food company, this year. But predators, too, would find advantages.

"We have this lunatic situation that a company buys a fabulous company with a world leader brand and yet they end up with an appar-ently weakened balance sheet," said John Murphy, chairman of Interbrand Group PLC, the brands marketing consultancy that valued Ranks Hovis's brands.

ing a \$5.23 billion bid for Pillsbury Co., said in August that it would value newly acquired brands.

prompted by its purchase last year of RJR Nabisco Inc.'s Heublein

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Putting a value on brands, or on goodwill in acquisitions - the difference between the price paid and the book value of assets - changes the emphasis of British accounting practice towards U.S. rules, said Mr. Holgate of Deloitte Haskins.

Under U.S. accounting practices, the treatment of brands and other goodwill effectively boosts a firm's balance sheet but reduces profits that can be declared.

Similar treatment under British rules usually means balance sheets look weaker while earnings are unaffected

The brands debate arose recently lanks Hovis's brands. in Britain, triggered by Nestlé SA's Grand Metropolitan PLC, mak-successful bid last summer for the chocolate maker Rowntree PLC, said Mr. Murphy of Interbrand.

Brands are valued by using prop-Grand Met estimated this could erty value techniques, Mr. Murphy add over £500 million to its balance said. A brand's ability to generate sheet. The company's move was profit is combined with a ranking related to its market position. Brand valuing is a sophisticated

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application of an accounting rule on how to treat a company's intangible assets, Mr. Holgate said.

The difference between the Unit-

ed States and Britain in treatment of goodwill caused a significant move by Hanson PLC.

The conglomerate said recently that it planned to treat goodwill on its acquisitions as an asset, to boost borrowing power.

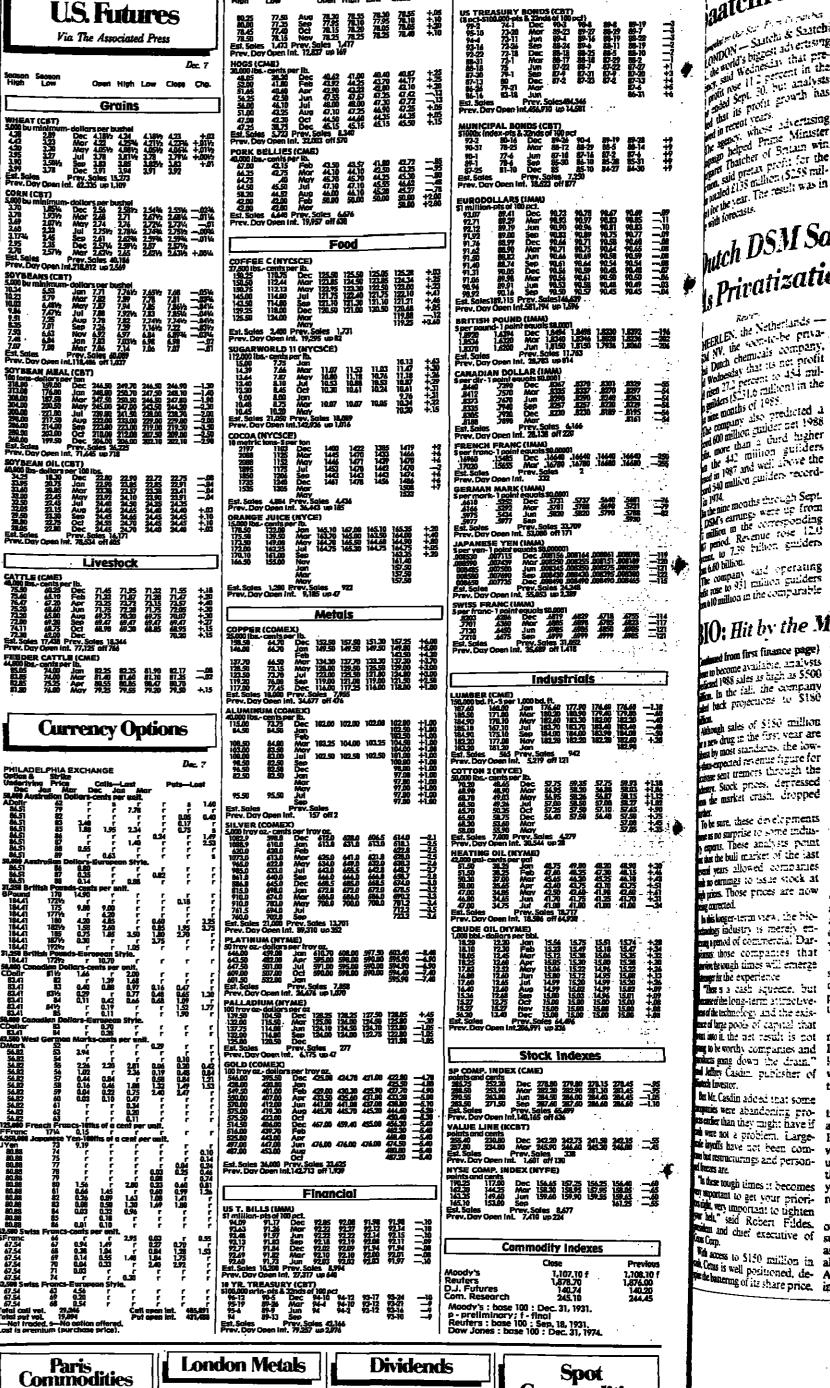
Hanson's vice chairman, Martin Taylor, said the move would add £1.8 billion to its net worth, enhancing borrowing power from £6.5 billion to £11 billion.

BET PLC, in the process of changing from a conglomerate into. a services group by acquisitions and sales, said that under British accounting rules, its gearing was double its level under U.S. rules. Gearing is a crucial measure of borrowing to asset base,

BET has bought a number of support services companies, which have low asset levels but strong cash flow and customer bases, Timothy Bevan, the chairman.

That meant BET's gearing would rise in its British accounts. But under U.S. rules, profit would be de-pressed by writing off the goodwill. "Neither system sensibly reflects the strategic value of our acquisi-tions," Mr. Bevan said.

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nue luxury sedans.
GM's Chevrolet division, meanwhile, informed dealers that its current car incentive program, offering rebates from \$300 on selected Cavaliers to \$1,000 on certain mid & sized Celebrity models, has been extended until Dec. 31. A 5600 rebate on the Chevrolet Spectrum subcompact was dropped. The previous program was set to

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agency, said Wednesday that pre-tax profit rose 11.2 percent in the year ended Sept. 30, but analysts from £78.8 million. noted that its profit growth has slowed in recent years.

The agency, whose advertising campaign helped Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher of Britain win election, said pretax profit for the year totaled £138 million (\$258 miltion) for the year. The result was in

HEERLEN, the Netherlands -

DSM NV, the soon-to-be priva-

tized Dutch chemicals company,

said Wednesday that its net profit

had risen 27.2 percent to 454 mil-lion guilders (\$231.6 million) in the

The company also predicted a record 600 million guilder net 1988

profit, more than a third higher than the 442 million guilders carned in 1987 and well above the

record 540 million guilders record-

In the nine months through Sept. 30, DSM's earnings were up from

357 million in the corresponding

from 6.60 billion.

1987 period. Revenue rose 12.0

nt, to 7.39 billion guilders

million. In the fall, the company potential. scaled back projections to \$180 Mr. File

Although sales of \$180 million

er-than-expected revenue figure for

Activase sent tremors through the

industry. Stock prices, depressed

from the market crash, dropped

To be sure, these developments

come as no surprise to some indus-

try experts. These analysts point

out that the bull market of the last

several years allowed companies

with no earnings to issue stock at

high prices. Those prices are now

In this longer-term view, the bio-

technology industry is merely en-

tering a period of commercial Dar-

winism; those companies that survive the tough times will emerge

because of the long-term attractive-

ness of the technology and the exis-

tence of large pools of capital that

But Mr. Casdin added that some

There is a cash squeeze, but

stronger for the experience.

being corrected.

The company said operating

profit rose to 931 million guilders

first nine months of 1988.

Industry analysts said profits, although strong, had suffered from exposure to a weak dollar, and they

noted that Saatchi's dramatic growth in recent years has slowed.

"At the rate they were going, it was hard to sustain," said Mark Sheppard, an advertising agency

DSM added, "Higher margins as

well as higher sales were realized."

Separately, Amsterdam Rotter-dam Bank said a public offer for

history of the Amsterdam ex-

change, received final approval

when the Dutch senate rubber-

stamped it on Tuesday, more than

three years after the government

first announced plans for the issue.

350 million guilder dividend from

DSM next year to compensate the

A second 33 percent stake is to

BIO: Hit by the Market Collapse, a Young Industry is Running Out of Cash

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nology in the United States, "very and should try to keep it. If we lose

'In these tough times it becomes very

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Robert Fildes, president and chief executive, Cetus Corp.

of expectations are tightening belts

Since the stock market collapse
at Genentech, too. While research there have been only two public

and development spending at the offerings by biotech companies: company is still \$120 million a An initial offering by Neorx of Seat-

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year, it will not increase.

"We're watching our pennies," said Robert Swanson, Genentech's

chief executive. "It's a matter of

postponing things you'd like to do

Some smaller companies have

"This is a reaction to the realiza-

vanitidis, chairman and chief exec-

to keep things under control."

want into it, the net result is not made even more dramatic changes. going to be worthy companies and Liposome Technology Inc. of Men-

el freezes are. the wrong projects right now, "In these tough times it becomes you're finished. There is no tomor-

With access to \$150 million in al products, with such projects as

400 companies pursuing biotech-

for a new drug in the first year are few have the cash resources in place some of these second-generation

robust by most standards, the low- to see them through this period." companies, we will lose those oper-than-expected revenue figure for Revenues that have fallen short portunities."

from 610 million in the comparable be sold to the public later next year.

The state is to receive a one-time

would be set on that date.

Saatchi's London operation launched in 1970, became a British market leader when it helped the Conservative Party win the 1979 general election. It helped Mrs. Thatcher clinch further elections in 1987 period "notably because mar-1983 and 1987 before being ket conditions continued to be favorable at lower feedstock prices."

Along the way, Saatchi captured more big accounts and ate up com-petitors to become the world's largest advertising agency. Saatchi has moved into the fast-

Stock Exchange fell 8.5 pence on

The group's communications di-

vision contributed £92.8 million to

the profit, while consulting activities grossed a profit of £22.8 mil-

and investments £11.6 million.

A final divided of 8.6 pence was

pence, up from 14.5 pence in

set, bringing the overall dividend to

the news to 315.5 pence.

growing field of consultancy and is the sale of one-third of DSM would open on Jan. 24. The share price trying to form a sort of global supermarket of business services spanning market research, design The sell-off, the largest in the information technology and legal A Saatchi statement expressed

> other good year, but expected slower growth due to forecast drops in worldwide advertising spending.
> It remained confident about the medium- and long-term future for the communications industry, however, and predicted rapid growth in its consulting profits.

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bridge Bioscience Corp.

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#### **Poland Seeks** Hard Currency In Fiat Deal

WARSAW — Poland's decision to radically change a 560 billion lire (\$430 million) deal with Fiat SpA was motivated by Warsaw's desire to build a car that can be exported for hard currency, Italian sources said.

Jerzy Urban, the govern-ment spokesman, said Tuesday that Poland now wanted to build a small rather than a medium-sized car with Fiat at the FSO plant near Warsaw. Mr. Urban said FSO's direc-

tor, Edward Pietrzak, had re-

signed over the plan to change

the contract, drafted in September after five years of bid-ding in which Fiat beat Daihatsu Motor Co. and Renault. Fiat was to have modern-ized the FSO plant to build a medium sedan, the A-90, to replace models originated by the company in the 1960s. But on Tuesday, Mr. Urban said the government wanted FSO to produce the same small

Fiat-designed cars that two plants in southern Poland would start making in 1991. Italian sources said Poland would be the only country making Fiat-designed baby cars and they could be exported, especially to the European

Community. Poland would not

be allowed to sell a new medi-

main controversial, and some in the

biotech industry deride them as li-

"The current market may mean

censing away a company's future.

that big companies with deep pock-

ets will find these struggling bio-tech companies inclined to cut

deals," said Richard H. Holton, a

professor of business administra-

tion at the University of California

"We will see consolidation; we

will see a tremendous amount of

strategic linkage." he said. Large

pharmaceutical companies that

were late to get involved in biotech

"can now acquire their way in." he

In the wake of their disappoint-

ment with Genentech's Activase,

analysts are now reassessing other

drugs about to emerge from bio-

tech laboratories. The most impor-

tant is erythropoeitin, or epo, a

hormone used to treat anemia. Am-

gen Inc. recently received approval

George Rathmann, Amgen's

ence with Activase would not be

voices on Wall Street ready to pro-

Most major drugs of biotech

mates and actual sales could con-

at Berkeley.

Microgenesys Inc., a small West for epo in France and Switzerland and is expected to get Food and

received the first approval by the Drug Administration approval Food and Drug Administration for soon.

tial offering of about \$31 million. the size of the market for epo or its

to do any sizable public offering States. Since the drug will initially today," said G. Steven Burrill, be used only for kidney-dialysis pachairman of the high-technology tients, he said, Genentech's experi-

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only alternative to being absorbed.

The optimism comes despite significant challenges facing Amgen

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um Fiat sedan in the West.

## Fujitsu Line May Give Japan an Edge in Supercomputers

TOKYO - Major new products from Fujitsu Ltd. appear to have given Japan the edge over U.S. companies in a race to raise the raw power of supercomputers, industry experts

But the new models also suggest that Japan, while catching up, lags in other aspects of supercomputer design vital to overall perfor-

mance, the experts added. Supercomputers are used by scientists and engineers for such complex tasks as designing aircraft wings, code-breaking and weather fore-

The new VP2000 series of machines from Fujitsu uses the world's fastest one-megabit static random access memory microchips, the company said when it unveiled the products

They will have a vector processing speed of four billion floating-point operations per second, the world's fastest for a single processor. Top speeds of the VP2000 would be compara-

Research Inc., the U.S. market leader. The Cray model, the Y-MP, uses eight processors, Fujitsu said.

"It means the basic technology — the memo-ries and logic — is very fast," said Raul Mendez, director of the private Institute for Supercomputing Research.

In 1982, Japanese committer makers and the Ministry of International Trade and Industry launched a challenge to U.S. makers who were then the clear industry leaders.

MITI began a project aimed at creating a machine 100 times faster than existing supercomputers by 1990.

Japanese manufacturers have concentrated on their strength in hardware technology to develop microchips that would give their com-

puters the fastest processing speeds.

But the Japanese have lagged in the area of multiprocessing — linking several processors to a single computer memory so that several programs can be run at the same time.

In contrast, U.S. makers, such as moved more quickly in this direction.

in architecture, harnessing many processors to the same memory, which gives higher through-

put," Mr. Mendez said. The Cray 3, which is likely to be released in late 1989 or early 1990 - about the same time or even before Fujitsu's VP2000 machines will go on sale -is expected to link 16 processors,

industry analysts said. The fastest of the Fujitsu models link two processors to achieve speeds comparable with Cray's eight-processor machine. Industry ex-perts said the new Fujitsu models suggest the Japanese acknowledge the limits of single-pro-

"Until now, the Japanese were able to match U.S. machines' capability with a single proces-

sor," said a Japanese industry source. "It's a step closer to multiprocessing," said Tom Murtha, an industry analyst at Baring Securities Ltd., referring to the Fujitsu series. "They are moving beyond just raw computing

power to coupling devices together."

Fujitsu and its domestic rivals, Hitachi Ltd. and NEC Corp., are developing more sophisti-cated multiprocessing models, analysts said.

#### First Canadian 'Poison Pill' Thrown Into Doubt By Suit

By Floyd Norris

New York Times Service NEW YORK - A shareholder vote on Inco Ltd's "poison pill" takeover defense, the first to be proposed by a Canadian corporation, has been thrown into doubt by a

court challenge filed by one of the nickel producer's top shareholders. The fate of Inco's takeover defense had been expected to be determined Friday, at a shareholders

meeting in Toronto. But that was thrown into doubt Tuesday when Caisse de Depot et Placement du Quebec, the Quebec government's pension fund manager and the owner of 3 percent of Inco, an order to block the meeting, but filed a suit in Superior Court in Montreal seeking to have the poison pill ruled illegal. The takeover defense would allow shareholders to buy Inco stock at discount prices if a

the company. Inco, whose primary product is nickel, has made a remarkable recovery in recent years, thanks both to a decision to slim down and close unprofitable operations and to a recovery in demand for nickel, a key component of stainless steel.

hostile bidder acquired 20 percent of

At the meeting Friday, holders are scheduled to vote on a package of the poison pill and a special dividend of \$10 a share. If the pill is not approved, the shareholders will not get the cash either, a plan that has led to complaints of bribery from some Canadian holders.

It is because of the dividend that most analysts assumed the package : percent withholding tax.

would pass. "It's awfully hard to turn down \$10," said Peter Anker, a First Boston analyst. U.S. shareholders holders own about half the company's shares, and most of them are expected to vote for the package.

The filing of the suit caused some jitters among traders, and Inco fell 62.5 cents, to \$32.50, on the New York Stock Exchange on Tuesday, trading as low as \$31.75 in the moments after the suit was announced

There was concern that the suit would block the shareholders meeting, but Jean-Claud Scraire, a senior vice president of the pension fund, said the fund was not seeking merely wanted one nullifying the poison pill, which was put into effect by the board pending the vote.

Even if there is a vote on Friday, and they approve it by 60 percent or 70 percent or 80 percent, that won't change the fact it is illegal under Canadian law," Mr. Scraire said.

"The meeting can go on." Inco's treasurer. Ian Austin. said the company needed the poison pill because trading volume typically soared when a big dividend was being paid, and that without it a raider could gain control without paying a control premium.

If the dividend does go through as scheduled, it will lead to a flurry of trading, much of it tax-motivat-ed. Some U.S. institutions will want to sell before the dividend is paid, Mr. Austin said, because divi-dends in Canada are subject to a 15

#### Kodak-Pathé To Buy Units

PARIS - Kodak-Pathe, the French subsidiary of the U.S. photo-equipment maker Eastman Kodak Co., announced Wednesday that it will take over two French photo labs for just under 500 million French

francs (\$84.8 million). The companies are DPC-Strittmatter, which had sales last year of 600 million francs and is based in the western city of Caen; and Polop, a family concern in Grenoble, southeastern France.

The companies, which em-ploy a total of 2,500 people, have been linked for 25 years and jointly own subsidiaries. Kodak-Pathé said it had received clearance from the French Treasury for the invesimenis.

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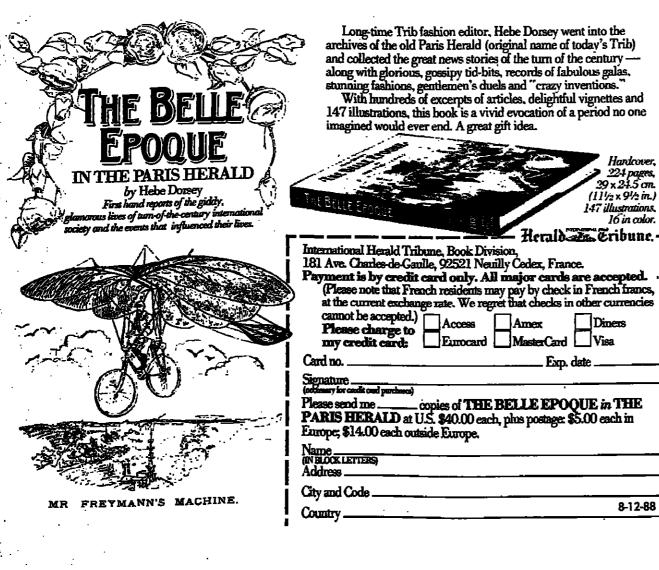
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Record High Projected For Auto Sales in EC

BRUSSELS - Car and truck sales in the

BRUSSELS — Car and truck sales in the European Community are likely to hit a record high this year, but sales might ship in 1989, an auto industry group said Wednesday.

Gregorio Rampa, who is president of the Liaison Committee of the Motor Vehicle Manufacturing Industry in the community, told reporters that new car sales would probably exceed 11.7 million in 1988. That would be about 4 percent above last year's level. 4 percent above last year's level.

If the figure is accurate, this year would be the fourth year in a row that demand has increased in the 12-nation trade bloc.

Demand was likely to remain relatively strong in 1989 and 1990 although sales might be lower than in 1988, Mr. Rampa said. Automakers increased production in 1988 as a result of the strong demand in Europe, while imports remained at about 1987 levels. Japanese manufacturers accounted for around 10 percent of the EC market for cars and trucks, he

The motor vehicle group represents national associations of vehicle makers in Spain, Italy, France, Beigium, the Netherlands, Britain and West Germany, the seven EC countries that have vehicle manufacturing plants.

Mr. Rampa said profitability of EC manufacturers was "satisfactory" in 1988 and all major European manufacturers likely would make a profit

profit.

But he said debts of some automakers remained high and all manufacturers would have to continue investing "heavily" in order to improve international competitiveness:

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#### **IBM Sues Dutch Firm** Over Use of Software

AMSTERDAM — International Business Machines Corp. said Wednesday that it was suing Tulip Computers NV, a Dutch maker of IBM-compatible computers, over an alleged breach of software copyrights.

Ad Corver, spokesman for the IBM unit, IBM Nederland NV, said that the company started a case against Tulip in a Rotterdam district court last month asking for an order to

district court last month, asking for an order to taking to pay unspecified damages and to stop using the software.

Mr. Corver said IBM found that Tulip had used IBM-patented software in its computers

and had tried in vain to negotiate a settlement with the company. Tulip said it rejected the

basic input-output systems, or BIOS, that serve as a bridge between personal-computer hard-ware and user-software programs.

Tulip has sales offices in several European compries and quoted market analysts in its

1987 report as saying the firm had 2 percent of the European market for microcomputers. In July, it reported a 116 percent increase in first-half net profit, to 13 million guilders (\$6.68

Floating-Rate Notes



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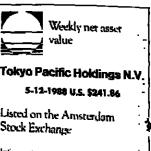
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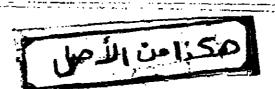
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LONDON — Britain on Wednesday said it planned to make

it easier to find out the identity of

shareholders in companies, espe-cially in the run-ups to takeover

The corporate affairs minister,

Francis Maude, said the level at

which interests in companies must

be disclosed would be reduced to 3

percent of a company's equity from 5 percent and the deadline for dis-

closure would be cut to two days

"I believe that the changes we propose to make will significantly

improve market transparency, and will in particular give investors an

early indication when a potential

offeror purchases a large interest in a company," Mr. Maude said. The changes would be part of the

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block to cutting defense spending. "It gives Bush a lever," he said. "And many people in the markets were relieved at the opportunity to cover short dollar positions going into the holidays."

The dollar closed more than three pfennig higher against the mark, at 1.7620 against 1.7310 on Tuesday, and rose to 123.75 yen from 121.60.

The pound dropped to \$1.8360 from \$1.8665, while the dollar firmed to 1.4863 Swiss francs from U.S. defense spending and thus a 1.4510 and to 6.0130 French francs

Conference officials said that while it might be theoretically possible to go ahead with agreements reached in other areas of the negotiations this week, it would be difficult "in reality," if the United States and the European Commu-

linkage," an official said. The talks had made good progress on proposals to strengthen the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, the Geneva-based cus-

todian of the international trading system, under whose aegis the Montreal talks are being conducted, the officials said.

its planned mid-point.

Measures to strengthen the trading system that could be agreed

The United States wants companies supplying services, like banks and insurance concerns, to be granted "national treatment" in that would give U.S. companies free range in the European Community's post-1992 single market.

The community, however, argues that the national treatment provision would not be enough to give EC companies equal access to more regulated markets like those of the United States and Japan. It wants provisions guaranteeing complete free access.

French officials said negotiations on the protection of intellectual property, such as patents and copyrights, were being blocked by developing countries, which want much greater access to technological advances in areas like chemicals and pharmaceuticals.

The developing countries were also making strong new demands for an end to restrictions on trade in textiles, which went much further than the industrial countries were prepared to accept, officials

# Gold Prices Expected to Slide After Rally Stalls

LONDON - Gold prices will probably fall back by the new year following the metal's failure to break above key resistance levels in a rally this week, according to bul-

lion analysts. The price of gold touched three-month highs on Monday around \$431 an ounce. It was buoyed by fears of inflation, against

which bullion is a favored hedge, a weaker dollar and a jump in prices for platinum to their best in six months at almost \$615. But then the gold rally stalled. Graham Birch, a precious metals analyst at

the London brokerage Kleinwort Grieveson, said Wednesday: "I see gold testing new lows of below \$400 in the new year. If we don't I will cat my words." on Wednesday, gold fell to \$423.75 an ounce from \$427.25 on Tuesday, while platinum, which traded as low as \$595 during the

day ended at \$601.75, down from its opening of \$604.50. Gold futures fell on the Commodity Exchange in New York in reaction to the dollar's rise on speculation about the announcement of cuts in Soviet forces, but the market trimmed its losses at the close after a rise in crude oil prices countered part of the selling provoked by the strong dollar. February gold posted a moderate loss of \$4.90 to \$427.70 an

ounce, rallying from a low of \$425.90.

ing economy is set to have another

peated official warnings of a slow-

down, according to economists and

The Bank of Korea, the central

bank, predicted last week that gross

national product growth would

slow to about 8 percent next year

after three years of double-digit

The bank said in a report that the

recent appreciation of the won and

rising labor costs would check ex-

port growth, the main thrust be-

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SEOUL -South Korea's boom- pretty high by world standards,"

Platinum tends to lift gold with it when it rises strongly.

But metals analysts said the platinum market was a thin one, easily affected by small changes in supply and demand

Despite initial cuphoria over the bullish performance of precious metals in the last two weeks, London analysts remain skeptical of sustained price rises in both gold and

Mr. Birch said gold did not have the momentum to push above its present 200-day average price of \$434, so the near-term moves for the precious metal will be down.

Increased investment interest industrial use and the launch of two new platinum coins by Australia and Canada suggested platinum supplies would be short at least into next

"We have had all the bullish factors for gold — a weak dollar, firmer oil prices, a re-elected Republican U.S. government, good Far East demand and then the platinum price rally, but we still haven't broken this key resistance level of \$434," said Mr. Birch. Rhona O'Connell, a precious metals analyst with Shearson Lehman Hutton Inc., is not as pessimistic as Mr. Birch. She said she

expected gold to start 1989 between \$415 and The gold rally failed largely because of a lack of buyers rather than heavy selling, but

uncertainty is likely to continue over the next four to five months with traders not sure that inflation is fully under control, Ms. O'Connell said.

She that the release of higher-than-expected U.S. employment figures at the end of last week suggested sustained U.S. economic growth was still possible. This kept inflationary fears in traders' minds and helped the gold rally.

She said the outlook for precious metals would depend to a large extent on the incoming U.S. adminstration's efforts to control the conntry's trade deficit.

The short to medium-term outlook for gold will depend on the financial market perception of the ability and strength of character of the new U.S. administration," she

If investors are worried that U.S. deficits will not be narrowed, they may be readier to

hedge in gold. Ms. O'Connell saw support at \$400 for

Other analysts also expected support, especially from the Far East, at that level since gold is relatively cheap in yen terms. But Mr. Birch said precious metals have been experiencing a bear market rally. Bear markets in precious metals usually last 20

months to 30 months and the current one is only 12 months old, he said

# **BOSKIN:**

#### Flexible Freezer

(Continued from first finance page) cern that Mr. Bush was in the thrall of the hard-core supply-siders," he said. "Thus the appointment of a

prudent, mainstream economist is quite reassuring." Mr. Summers added, "But 1 wouldn't want to skate on a flexibly frozen lake. If they could get the

spending cuts through — which they can't — it would make for a harsher, crueler America." "The budget deficits were the major flaw in the Reagan economic program," Mr. Boskin wrote in a book published last year, "Reagan

and the Economy." In the current issue of the Journal of Economic Perspectives, he writes. "It is likely on balance that this tax reform is pro-consumption and anti-saving" - a conclusion that contradicts the prevailing view

# Wednesday's

This list, compiled by the AP, consists of the 1,000 most traded securities in terms of dollar value.
It is updated twice a year.

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said George Long, head of the bro-

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The won, quoted at 687.50 to the dollar on Wednesday, has risen 15.2 percent against the dollar so far this year.

Park Un-soh, a director-general at the trade ministry, told reporters this week that if the won continued its rise, many labor-intensive firms would go bankrupt or give up ex-

12 percent. This year's growth,

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Mr. Cho said earlier official forecasts that the South Korean econo- this year and 728,000 next year my would slow considerably in the from 420,000 in 1987.

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second half of 1988 proved wrong originally estimated at 8 percent, is because the government failed to expected to reach 11.5 percent, take into account business efforts Both the central bank and the to adapt to the rising won. trade ministry say the growing cur-The central bank said GNP grew rent-account surplus, covering trade in goods and services, will

by an annualized rate of 12.6 percent in the July-September quarter. Young Soo-gil, a senior economist at the Korea Development In-

stitute, said third-quarter growth was encouraging, buoyed by greater domestic consumption. "The domestic market has given signals that it might take up some

of the economic slack likely to be created once trade slows down," Mr. Young said. The Korea Automobile Manufacturers' Association said local car sales should rise to 543,000 units

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The companies charge in the letter that procurement abuses "have been instrumental in ensuring awards to IBM for all major large-

**IBM Rivals Complain** Of U.S. Navy Contracts

WASHINGTON — A growing frustration among computer companies about International Business Machines Corp.'s dominance of the federal government computer market has surfaced in a letter signed by six companies complaining that Navy procurement officials unfairly favor IBM in contract awards.

The five-page letter, sent last month to Defense Secretary Frank Carluct, alleges among about their Navy percentages.

other things that Navy personnel routinely "wire" contracts for IBM by drawing computer contract specifications based on IBM products rather than on the government's actual require-

These specifications are designed to either preclude any real competition for IBM, or at the very least, provide an unfair advantage to IBM," the letter said.

The letter was signed by Amdahl Corp., NCR Comten, Storage Technology Corp., Memorex Telex Corp., PacifiCorp Capital Inc. and VION

scale general purpose ADP (automated data processing) hardware requirements since 1983." The allegations have been referred to the Defense Department's inspector general's office, according to Pentagon spokesman Jim Turner. He said the department was awaiting the results of the investigation before making further comments or taking any further actions.

#### **BOOKS**

SAFARI: A Chronicle of Adventure By Bartle Bull. 383 pages. \$40. Viking Inc., 40 West 23d Street, New York, N. Y. 10010.

Reviewed by Edmund Morris

ON Nov. 7, 1836, the pioneer English hunter Cornwalis Harris entered a valley in Matabeleland and saw wild elephant for the first time. "Every height and green knoll was dotted over with groups of them, whilst the bottom of the glen exhibited a dense and sable living mass . . . a picture soul-stirring and sublime." Ecstatic, he rode down and killed as many of them as he could. Next day Harris walked among the huge corpses, contrite but counting. A small calf, piping mournfully, stood by its mother, trying to lift her. When Harris turned away, the calf wrapped its trunk around his leg and followed him back to caum. followed him back to camp.

dying oryx; Frederick Selous, who liked to hunt without trousers on, grappling with a cow elephant, half crushed by her weight and breathing the reek of her flesh; and dozens of other civilized men, the anthor included, devouring the hot, raw inmards of animals that have barely stopped quivering. ("Makanyanga dips two sleek moist slices [of buffalo liver] into the spicy half-digested grass and presents them to Ted and me. . . Finding them warm, fibrous, surprisingly good, and rather like sushi, we bolt them down and quickly take a beer.")

The above quotation comes from Bull's final chapter, describing a Tanzanian safari taken with Theodore Roosevelt 4th in 1986 Inevitably anticlimactic, it serves to

passion more primal than perverted —love in its deepest sense of total identification with the thing pursued.

Thus we see Harris, an exquisite artist, deliberately delaying the coup de grace in order to capture with brush and paint the living colors of a wounded cland; the hirsute giant R. Gordon Cumming carrying a lock of a lion's mane in his bosom, mingling hair with hair —then, a few pages later, suckling warm milk out of the test of a dying oryx; Frederick Selous, who liked to hunt without trussers on, grapoling with a cow elephant, half crushed

sevelt 4th in 1986. Inevitably anticlimactic, it serves to round off a 150-year saga of romance and horizon-filling carnage, begun by Comwallis Harris and now more or less ended by preservationist laws. Separate chapters deal with the feminization of the safari (so dreaded by

Allan Quatermain), the development of Nairobi, and The Safari in Fiction and Film.

In passing, there is a wealth of delicious information: how, for example, to scramble and cook ostrich eggs in the shell. We learn that a single blade of grass can deflect a bullet; that lions relish white men more than black because they "have more salt in their systems"; and that the dangling earlobes of extras in "Out of Africa" were made out of black latex at \$15 a pair.

Non-hunters may gag at such stories, as we sit in our armchairs, yet can we honestly read this book and not sense that the safari — which is to say, hunting in its most ritualized, epic form — is somehow purifying? Like war, it seems to be an intensification of life; like sex, it releases both animal and mystical emotions.

Bull is eloquent in arguing that hunters are the best conservationists, and he cites figures from the Selous followed him back to camp.

"All men kill the thing they love," Oscar Wilde observed in "The Ballad of Reading Gaol." This bitter irony haunts the mind as one reads Bartle Bull's scholarly, beautifully illustrated history of the African safari. Although the book is the first such study, it is in a larger sense a repetition of the oldest and saddest story ever study: man's despoliation of paradise. Nothing is clearer, in Bull's recounting of the exploits of the great white hunters, than that they were indeed killing for love, a passion more brimal than perverted—love in its deepest.

Game Reserve in Tanzania that show a rise in the elephant population to 120,000 under regulated hunting in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting was banned and poachers took over in the 1980s. Yet he earlier shows that his beloved gentleman adventurers cradicated big game with as much efficiency as foday's AK47-toting, chain-standing gangs. Even in 1690, there were no hippoint in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting was banned and poachers took over in the 1980s. Yet he earlier shows that with as much efficiency as foday's AK47-toting, chain-standing gangs. Even in 1690, there were no hippoint in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting was banned and poachers took over in the 1980s. Yet he earlier shows that he is the first such that show a rise in the elephant population to 120,000 under regulated hunting in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting was banned and poachers took over in the 1980s. Yet he earlier shows that the poachers took over in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after lic Game Reserve in Tanzania that show a rise in the elephant population to 120,000 under regulated hunting in the 1970s, and a drop back to 50,000, "with virtually no large bulls," after licensed hunting was banned and poachers took over in the 1980s. Yet he earlier shows that

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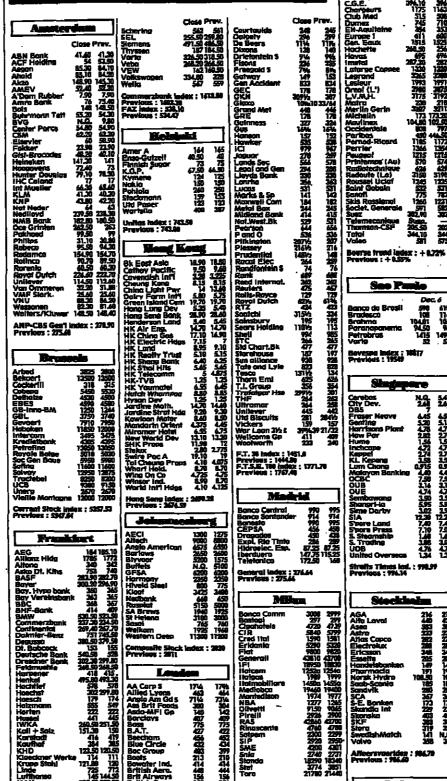
The most valuable chapter, historically speaking, is an account of the famous "scientific expedition" of Roosevelt's great-grandfather in 1909-1910. Bartle Bull's research shows that the great conservationist, contrary to popular myth, was as clumsy a killer after leaving the White House as he had been in youth. "Impatient, inexperienced, a mediocre shot with bad eyesight," TR blasted away at everything that moved, to the embarrassment of his professional companions. He killed nine white rhinos (one asleep), knowing that the species was even then on the verse of extinction. even then on the verge of extinction

Interestingly, many of Bartle Bull's heroes sweeten in old age, none more engagingly than the veteran who told him in 1986: "As one gets older, one gets more gentle, num in 1960: "As one gets once, one gets more gentle, soft and stupid. Now, anything that God made to wriggle, I want to look after. It's the camp smoke [I care for]. Watching a fire. Seeing it sparkle. And the stars.

. . . People forget Belgravia and Fifth Avenue and finally become themselves. And you see the legs of the clients' wives as they pass between you and the fire."

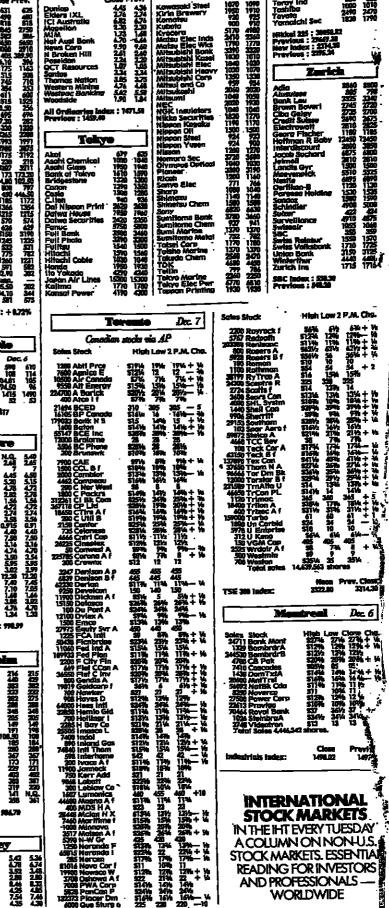
Edmund Morris wan a Pulitzer Prize for "The Rise of Theodore Roseveit" and is writing a sequel, "Theodore Rex." He wrote this for The Washington Post.

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O New York Times, edited by Eugene Maleska

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**SPORTS** 

# New From the King of Glitz: 'Tour de Trump' Bike Race

By George Vecsey
New York Times Service -NEW YORK - What do you call a bicycle race that meanders down the Hudson Valley, risks its life with the crackbeads, cutthroats, red-light-jumpers, highwaymen and innatics of New York City, shen heads out to Pennsylvama, Virginia, Maryland and Delaware

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You could call it Tour of the Colonies. You could call it Tour of the East. You could call it Middle Atlantic Tour. . If you wanted to be only mildly

pretentious, you could call it Tour de l'Est or Tour de Printemps. He is calling it Tour de Trump. The title itself is a misnomer

implying a tour around, over and through an entity named Trump— commencing perhaps at his slicked-down hair and eventually conclud-ing at his polished shoes. The name wasn't his idea. Hon-IL They came to him, these pro-

goters, these tub-thumpers, these elevision people, and they said to tim, "What about "Tour de ramp?"

And he said, he insists, "You be solutely have to be kidding. I'll it killed."

But conservative, cautious Don-ild Trump did not get to be the ring of ghitz by ignoring the suggesions of more flamboyant, creative eople around him. So Tour de

It will be a 10-stage tour, with \$250,000 in prize money, from May 5-14 of next year, co-sponsored by NBC and open to amateurs and

They trucked out world-level American cyclists like Greg Lemond, Davis Phinney and Alexi fordable to anybody other than sul-Grewal for the announcement of the Tour de Trump, held Tuesday
Y New York's Plaza Hotel, which se has not yet named after himself but which is across the street from

it gave both Donald and Ivana Trump something to do to get over the pain of not playing host to Mikhail S. Gorbachev, who arrived in Trump City on Tuesday.

The couple had hoped to show Trump Tower to the visiting digniperestroika, and, who knows, per-haps Gorbachev's need for a pieda-terre on Trump Fifth Avenue. But by the time the official itin-crary was disclosed, the visit to

Chez Trump had been purged. "Security problems," Trump re-vealed. "One million people ring-ing the Plaza. You can imagine the

problems. So we've been invited to have dinner with him on Thursday,

Since he did not have to stay home and vacuum the flat and spread cheese on the celery sticks,

Has a race ever been canceled because all the bicycles were stolen overnight?

ment of the road race.

His previous forays into sports included owning the New Jersey Generals, a football team that played in the springtime, and givng expensive financial and emotional advice to Mike Tyson of the soan opera of the same name.

Many New Yorkers wake up every day and claw through the sports pages to see if Donald has bought the Yankers, which would be the most generous gesture he could make to his hometown, except, of course, for building housing aftans and yuppies.

In the meantime, he is giving his name to a six-state bicycle tour. Racing is a major sport in main-land Europe, with crowds liming the

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Donald Trump, mogul.

glimpse of sensational athletes whizzing past on expensive ma-

In France, people bring picnic hampers and drink local wine out of glass goblets. One would carry like to have the ketchip and soft-drink concession during the Tour hotel room. I stay in sight. I hang out in the lobby, where all the guys of glass goblets. One would only

Although it was glossed over at Trump's announcement, there are a number of successful American road races, particularly in Colora-do, but the best racers must still go to Europe to make a living.

Alexi Grewal, who won a road-race gold medal in the 1984 Sum-mer Games in California, thinks America is ready to appreciate the spectacle, both in person and in front of the tube.

"Americans like sports that test the mettle of the athletes," Grewal said. "Cycling combines the sheer athleticism of basketball players with the self-control of golfers. It has more tactics than most football players use and it has the fitness of marathon runners. And it is potentially fatal at any time."

That part should appeal to New Yorkers. Just Tuesday, somebody training either for the next Tour de

crossing Third Avenue.
The Tour de Trump will arrive in New York on the night of May 6 "Jack just traded Orel Hershise following a stage from Albany to from the Dodgers to the Padres." West Point. The next day, the cy- Claire winced, then laughed and clists will depart from in front of. said: "Nothing Jack does would what surely will be the Trump Pla- surprise me." za Hotel.

# **Dealing** Wanted by a Wily Manager: A Tour de Force in Baseball

wheels his way across the

al manager of the Padres last spring

when he had to dismiss Larry Bowa

as manager because the team was

floundering, and nobody was too surprised when Bowa's replace-

ment was announced: Jack

McKeon. He finished the season

wearing both hats, the Padres re-

vived mightily and ran a strong third in the National League's

West, and then Jack McKeon went

He started with a stunner when

en power hitters in the game.

he traded three players to the Yan-kees for Jack Clark, one of the

Then he came to Atlanta shopping

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nting for talent.

"Something else I don't do," McKeon said, "is ask scouts to By Joseph Durso New York Times Service make the decisions for me. You'd ATLANTA - The boldest, get a 2-2 tie vote. I'll make the keenest, hottest trader in the andecisions and take the heat." centest, notiest traces are the arcient art of swapping has ball players these days is Jack McKeon,
manager of the San Diego Padres.
He once traded 11 players in one
deal with Whitey Herzog of the St.
Louis Cardinals. He came here to Jack McKeon pursues his takent like a stockbroker pursuing his forfloor of the hotel lobby like a trader whirling across the bustling floor of the winter baseball meetings trying

the Stock Exchange, taking orders on the fly, taking life on the run. He in two huge deals. He is the man puffs cheerfully on large cigars. He is shrewd and creative, and most likely to drop blockbusters, and he will even get you a shortstop if you need one and he doesn't. he has done it all. He has worked at every level of the business: player, We're visible, that's the main scout, manager, general manager, and he knows talent. He was generthing," McKeon said in an interview, analyzing his success as a wheeler-dealer. "I don't stay in my

to talk eight teams into joining him

are talking and looking for you." A guy comes up to me and says: What room are you in? And I say: '4701, but don't bother calling. I'm

"Why do I trade? I'm aggressive.
I'm confident. I'm a gambler, I'm
willing to make a trade and not be afraid I'll get nailed." "He's a broker," said Dallas Green, manager of the New York Yankees. "He's not afraid. Too many general managers and man-agers fall in love with their own players and then don't want to

badly enough "I guess I'm a broker," McKeon said. "I'll structure a deal. Haywood Sullivan once called me from Boston and asked: 'Can you get me Steve Balboni?

move them. Jack will move any-

body out if he wants somebody else

Fred Claire, the general manage Trump or to be a famous serial of the Los Angeles Dodgers and a killer bore down on pedestrians disciple of McKeon in the marketplace, walked up to McKeon this week and was told by a prankster:

a Hotel.

"Nobody else does it his way,"
Has a race ever been canceled Claire said. "He will shape a deal Trump Central Park.

roads to watch an hour of motorThe timing was fortuitous, since ized commercials, followed by a cles were stolen overnight?

and orchestrate it and not worry about the consequences."



let's get Steve Carlton or Ron Guidry.' People get to know I'll make a deal. A guy comes up to me and says: 'Can you get me a shortstop? I'll go out and get him one."
At the end of the year, McKeon
will relinquish one of his hats: general manager. But he will still be ager of the Padres and master of the marketplace.

The Texas Rangers continued infusing themselves with hitting, ac-quiring Julio Franco from the Cleveland Indians, The New York

for two more players and opened the Jack McKeon bull market in the lobby of the Marriott Marquis.
"I've been doing this for 12 years," he said. "When I was with

Jack McKeon, manager.

Rangers Get Franco

Times reported from Atlanta. Earlier, the Rangers obtained Rafael Palmeiro from the Chicago Cubs, meaning they have restocked the right side of their infield with a 302 hitter (Palmeiro) at first base and a 303 hitter (Franco) at sec-

On Tuesday The Rangers gaw the Indians Pete O'Brien, their first baseman; Oddibe McDowell, their Oakland, I used to tell Charlie Fin-center fielder, and Jerry Browne, ley: "Take this guy, take that guy, who at times shared second base.

# 'Objective' Scores **Ahead for Boxing**

By Michael Janofsky New York Times Service

VIENNA — Radical changes being considered by the Inter-national Amateur Boxing Fed-eration are designed to climinate subjectivity in scoring and reduce the number of knockouts and knockdowns.

The changes involve new technology rather than new rules, and if they are approved by the executive committee of the International Boxing Association at its meeting in March, reduce the impact of a punch by they would be implemented immediately for all international

Anwar Chowdhry of Pakistan, the federation's president, outlined the proposed changes. They were approved by the fed-eration's board of vice presidents this month in Frankfurt.

Ringside computers would be designed to allow each of the five judges to register effective punches by pushing a red but-ton for those of one competitor, where there of the a blue button for those of the

Each judge records his observations on his own panel, and any time three or more push the same button simultaneously, a point is recorded on a scoreboard visible in the arena. If fewer than three judges register the same punch, the boxer does not receive a point.

The running tally would indi-cate which fighter is leading. At the end of the bout, the winner is known instantly, except in

the case of a tie. Then, the win-ner would be determined by a more detailed analysis of each

judge's scores. A proposal to use improved headgear and boxing gloves to ease the impact and potential damage of a punch and curtail knockdowns, he said, was prompted by concern within the Olympic movement over the

safety and health of boxers. The association is recommending new headgear that will more than 50 percent, according to the company that manufactures the product, Bayer AG of West Germany.

#### ■ Lifting Is Retained

A recommendation that weight lifting be removed from the Olympics because of ram-paint drug abuse was shelved on Wednesday by the IOC board, The Associated Press reported

An IOC vice president, Richard Pound of Canada, softened his plan for an outright ban.

In addition, the board boosted the presence of women in the Olympic Games, voting to add five medal events for 1992: for the Winter Games, women's biathion, men's and women's mogul freestyle skiing and men's and women's short-track speedskating; and for the Summer Games, women's 10-kilo-meter walking and women's single-handed dinghy sailing.

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BASEBALL American Lague
BALTIMORE—Asked waters on Jeff
tone outfleider, for purpose of giving him his to one-year contract, Traded Julia Franco, second baseman, to Texas for Pete O'Brien, first baseman; Oddibe McCowell, putfielder,

tind Jerry Browns, second basemen. Signed Jesse Orasco, officher, to two-year contract bius on antion year. DETROIT—Agreed to terms with Al Pedri-DE I KUI I - Agreed to terms with Ai Fedraus. Inflekter, an one-wer control.

KANSAS CITY - Signed till Buckner, first basemon-designated hitter, to use-wer control. Sent Mike Laggins, outliefer, eutright to Omaha, American Association.

MINNESOTA - Agreed to terms with Jim Dever, suffigliar, at one-year catifficit, TEXAS - Association terms with Exchanged to term with Exchanged to terms with Exchanged to term with Exchanged to terms with Exchanged to term with Exchanged to terms with Exchanged to term with Exchanged to terms with Exchanged to terms with Exchanged to terms with Exchanged to term with Exchanged to te

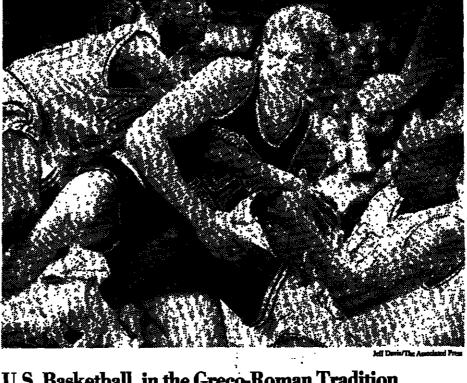
CINCINNATI-Signed Rick Michier, pitch er, to two-year contract. Sent Condy Sterra third baseman, to one-year contract.

SAN DIEGO—Signed Garry Tempis

Inliely. FOOTBALL National Postball League GREEN BAY—Put Josy Hackett, tight end

HARTFORD—Signed Ted Fours. Binshamton, AHL.

NEW JERSEY—Sent Chris Terreri, godtender, to Utico, AHL.



U.S. Basketball, in the Greco-Roman Tradition

Northern Iowa's Jason Reese was having a hard day. It got worse when two Iowa players, B.J. Armstrong, left, and Roy Marble took the notion of double-teaming to heart. Iowa prevailed, 95-76.

# **SIDELINES**

#### **Orioles Are Sold**

ATLANTA (WP) — Agnes Williams, the widow of Edward Bennett Williams, the Baltimore Orioles owner, has reached an agreement to sell the team for approximately \$70 million to a group whose principal shareholder will be Eli S. Jacobs, a New York investor.

The Orioles president, Lawrence Lucchino, said he would serve as chief executive officer. R. Sargent Shriver, a Washington lawyer, and his son, Robert S. Shriver Jr., a New York venture capitalist, own minority shares.

#### U.S. Women Out

MELBOURNE (UPI) - Swe-United States team in the second round of the Federation Cup wonen's tennis tournament Wednes-day, the first time the United States has failed to reach the quarterfinals of the 26-year-old event, Sweden's Maria Strandlund defeated Patty Fendick 6-2, 7-6 (7-3), and Caterina Lindqvist followed with a 6-4, 7-5 triumph over Lori McNeil.

#### For the Record

Tracy Rocker of Anhura has won the Outland Trophy as the top college football lineman.

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Dear Christmas Man. you couldn't buy love. Now my grandchild tells me that I can. All I have to do is get him a Nintendo set, he says, and he'll love me a "lot." What am I to make of this? Sincerely, Willy Wooster

Dear Willy, Unfortunately, your grandchild is right. You can buy love but it is no longer cheap. The going rate for a \$10 to \$20 doll is one wet kiss on the cheek. Any train set from \$20 to \$50 will guarantee a hug, and for a \$100 Walkman your grandchild will climb onto your lap and let you tell him a story. There are children who will love you even if you don't brung them anything. But to this date, nobody has ever met one. Sincerely yours, C.M.

Dear Christmas Man. My son, Jeremy, is home for the Christmas holiday, but is never in the house. Since we paid for his air fare, do we have any visitation rights? I still worry about him, es-

pecially when he is driving and Sincerely yours, Ann Dean

As for being worried about your son coming in late, the only way to

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Sincerely. Dear Christmas Man,

Last year I gave a close friend a lovely gift. She has never men-tioned the item or thanked me. Now that Christmas is coming up again, I am not sure if I should send her a present or not. My kindest thought is that she never received. the gift, and I don't want to penalize her for what could easily be another monumental screw-up in the Post Office, But what I really think is that she has no manners.

> Sincerely, Billy Boy Louder

Dear Billy Boy, Join the club. Millions and millions of people never get thanked for Christmas presents they sent to relatives and friends. It is now estimated that only one out of eight gift-senders has ever received a note. When sending a gift I have found it very helpful to enclose a letter addressed to myself, thank-ing me for the gift and raving about it. I ask the recipient of the package to please sign the thank-you note and return it to me in the selfaddressed envelope. This more or less guarantees an acknowledg-ment of the present, and saves the other person an awful lot of guilt. Cheers,

Dear Christmas Man, What is the world record for a salesperson writing up a purchase in a department store at Christmas,

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Happy Holidays, C.M.

# A Firm Backer of Britain's Class System

By Craig R. Whitney

New York Times Service

T ONDON — With his mane of

Cambridge education, his conservative views about privilege and duty and stewardship, Peregrine Worsthorne might be an elegant throwback to the bygone aristocratic era.

Not so. What he wants to do is bring back respect for the idea of the moneyed hereditary class, so discredited in recent years, for the good of the country. People think it's such an outlandish point of view that they enjoy it as a sort of eccentric jen d'esprit," the editor and chief columnist of the conservative Sunday Telegraph said with a grin the other day in his office in the London docklands on the eve of his 65th birthday.

He was in an expansive mood, ruminating about class, the British establishment, and the general lourishness of much of British so-ciety, something he thinks could be cured by a healthy dose of deference to old money. Some of his views sound odd for

man who has spent most of his life in icornalism. In a much-discussed lecture to a group of fellow Conservatives at their annual party conference this fall, Worsthorne said: "In a democracy almost nothing important can be talked about truthfully except in private, for fear of being misunderstood by a mass electorate. Race cannot be spoken about openly. AIDS cannot either. Nor for the most part can foreign affairs."

Asked what he meant, he said: "I mean simply that the element of frankness and truthfulness in public discourse is very small, and only when you actually get them in private do people ever speak truthfully. In private, an Irish politician will say. It will be the end of the world if we were actually to have Northern Ireland incorporated in the world in the complete. the republic.' But can you get an Irish politician to say that in pub-lic? Of course you can't. Likewise, in many ways, the British would be glad to be rid of Northern Ireland,

but can't say so.
"It is in these areas that I think private discourse is truthful and public discourse is hypocritical. It has been true since democracy took over. Once people depend upon not offending the voter, public discourse becomes hypo-

critical. What used to happen was that truthful speech went on in the country house, in the club, in social circumstances. I think one of the drawbacks of contemporary society is that there are fewer and fewer occasions when people meet and tell the truth to each other. They meet in television stu-dios, which, more than any other

location imaginable, are areas where nothing truthful is said." One of the truths about Thatcherite society that he has articulated is the crassness of much of the new wealth it has created. "A healthy society needs both custodians and innovators," he said in the lecture. "It needs custodians — oh dear, does one really have to ex-plain to a Tory audience why a society needs custodians? It needs them because, without people who feel an obligation to pass things on to the next generation, society falls apart, loses all its savor, all its beauty, all its charm, all its virtue."

Worsthorne has no apologies for his view. "I do think we are getting once again in this country a rentler class: people who are going to be able to pass on to their children enough money. I think a rentier class is enormously important for a civilized society and I am very encouraged that it is beginning to come back. "I think something very strange

happened after the war in this country. The hereditary class, the political class - their morale took a bad beating, and they thought they were for the high jump. They lacked confidence. To some extent it was the result of egalitarian legislation, designed to make them feel uncomfortable."

Nothing did more harm to the British social fabric, according to this scion of a distinguished family who was brought up by his stepfather, Montagu Collet Nor-man, governor of the Bank of En-gland from 1920 to 1944. "I was brought up in a promi-

nent City family, members of which had held responsible jobs in the square mile for the better part of two centuries," he told his fellow Tories, referring to London's financial district. "During the last 40 years or so, it has been [ashionable to deride these ancestral connections as 'the old boy network.' The presence of such ancestral connections do not only enrich schools, colleges, and regi-

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unions, businesses, and indeed all human organizations - countries as well for that matter.'

Worsthorne's notion of where the idea of stewardship is best inculcated is, as you would expect, traditional. "I would think that the children of the yuppies, possibly if they have been to good schools, will get back some of that public service ethos. But if you'd gone to a Winchester or Eton from about 1950 to about five years ago, they would have taught you that you weren't any better than anyone

Thatcher's government has such people in it: "I don't think it's held nst the home secretary, Douglas Hurd, that he went to Eton and Oxford," Worsthorne said, but he places him in a different class from

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He gives Thatcher credit for reversing much of the decline and demoralization of British economic life over the past decade, but he is far from uncritical.

"Anybody whose ears are not clogged with dogma must be increasingly aware of the extent to which Mrs. Thatcher has become a real object of hatred," he wrote in an editorial Nov. 27.

"I expected to be told by a lot of readers, What do you mean?" he said. "But I got a flood of letters, almost all of which said: 'How right you are! We all hate

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A former foreign correspon-dent who covered the United States for The Times of London from 1951 to 1954, Worsthorne said: "I think the class system in the States is as noticeable as it is here. The confidence, the style of life of the WASP in America is an absolutely clear-cut type. They may not run the country, but they know each other and consider themselves superior — they're

very patronizing about the rest of the population."

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The Montreal Gazette has reported that the former Philippines president, Ferdinand Marcos, and his wife, Imelda, have paid more than \$1.7 million for a penthouse condominium in Rome.

The American soprano Jessye Norman has been invited to sing "La Marscillaise" for Bastille Day celebrations marking the bicentennial of the French Revolution. Norman is to meet Thursday with Calture Minister Jack Lang to discuss the performance.

Animal rights activists are in-censed with Prince Pailip, presi-dent of the World Wide Fund for Nature, for calling the rescue of two whales off Alaska a "circus two whates off Alaska a circus act irrelevant to conserving the species. During the Association of American Correspondents luncheon in London, the husband of Queen Elizabeth II also created as stir with a chance remark comparing wives with prostitutes.

The West German-based BMG Classics record company has pulled off a musical coup by signing five Russian musicians, including the conductor Yuri Temirkanov, the violinist Viadimir Spivakov and the 17-year-old pianist Evgeny Kissin, to five-year deals. The others are the violist Yuri Bashmet and the cellist Natalia Gutasan, along with the Moscow Virtuosi and the Leningrad Philharmonic.

The Korean-born Myung-Whuna Chung, 35, has won the Italian music critics association award as besign conductor of the year. Chung, who studied at New York's Juliard School of Music, conducts the Florence city orchestra.

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